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Wurzbach Stresses Pay, Housing Needs

(Representative Wurzbach of Texas, long a friend of the Army, has regained his seat in the House after an election contest, and herewith greets his many friends in the service.)

By REP. HARRY M. WURZBACH
Member of House Committee on Military Affairs.

IT HAS BEEN very gratifying to receive the many messages that have come to me from friends in the Army, and I want to take this opportunity to express through the columns of the *Army and Navy Journal* my deep and sincere appreciation for the loyal friendship and support of these friends. The Fourteenth District of Texas probably has more Army personnel within its bounds than any other district in the United States, and as a member of the Committee on Military Affairs since first elected to Congress, it has been my pleasure and privilege to take an active interest in the problems of the military establishment, and try to familiarize myself with all questions affecting the welfare of the Army personnel.

Absence Unfortunate

Naturally one feels it is unfortunate that so many months should be lost in carrying on the usual duties of a member of Congress, but now that it has been determined that I am the actual Representative of that district of Texas (and I may say I have never been in doubt of the ultimate outcome of the contest) my army friends may be assured that retaining my standing in the House and on the Military Affairs Committee there will be the same continued interest in legislation that will bring about adequate national defense, and to insure to each member of that establishment a wage commensurate with the task assigned and housing fit for the standard of living required of the personnel. There is no more important work of Congress than the proper compensation and housing of its employees.

Randolph Field, which is destined to be the premier air field of the Army, I feel, was established during my tenure of office and \$1,000,000 has been authorized for the construction of the necessary buildings to house the personnel and equipment required. The same interest as in the past will characterize my efforts for the betterment of this and other Army posts in my district.

Praises James

Our able chairman, Hon. Frank James, has spent a great deal of time and energy in the study of the housing conditions and is anxious that every appropriation necessary to insure adequacy be authorized and made available. In this work it gives me pleasure to advise my Army friends every cooperation will be given Mr. James by me.

There has been discussion as to the size of the Army. It seems to me the irreducible minimum has been reached. The present commissioned personnel should be retained. The non-military activities of the military establishment, the need for officers for training activities of the National Guard, the Officers' Reserve and the Citizens' Military Training Camps, and the increased activities of the Air Corps all indicate the need for the number of officers now commissioned.

There are many and varied problems facing the members of Congress charged with the responsibility of providing a proper military establishment and to be one of those selected for this great service to the nation is a rare privilege and those in this branch of national activity may be assured of my effort to be helpful in a constructive way.

Pay Committee Calls for Data; Services Compiling Statistics

THE Joint Congressional Pay Committee held its first meeting Feb. 12, elected Senator Wesley L. Jones chairman, agreed to call upon the six services concerned for detailed data and then disbanded to meet again "at the call of the chairman."

The meeting lasted an hour and fifteen minutes, but it was in executive session and little information was forthcoming. The committee members agreed to meet in closed session and to give out no information except through Sen. Jones. Members say this policy of secrecy will continue indefinitely, at least until the hearings are started and there is some doubt both as to whether or not hearings will be held and as to whether or not they, too, will be in executive session.

Members of the Senate delegation on the joint committee maintain their original opinion, as reported in the *Army and Navy Journal* last week, that nothing definite should be done until after Senator Reed returns. They feel that in view of his long experience with the pay problems and his intimate knowledge of the service and especially inasmuch as it is under his resolution that they are working, it would be wiser to wait until they can have the benefit of his presence at the committee meetings before drawing up anything concrete or even before holding hearings.

Senator Jones received a cablegram this week from Senator Reed, who is in London attending the Arms conference, in which he said that he would have no objection to the committee going

ahead with hearings, but that he would rather have them wait his return before deciding upon final action.

However, Senator Jones said that he did not think that he will be in any hurry about holding hearings. Representative Burton L. French, of Idaho, who was selected as vice chairman of the committee, drew up a detailed letter which he sent, for the committee, to each of the six services concerned in the pay act. The departments are now busy compiling the desired data.

It is likely that a representative of each service will be detailed to act as liaison officer through whom all information will be transmitted to the Joint Committee.

The committee will do nothing more until this data is in hand, Senator Jones said, and then it will take some time, probably "several more weeks," before the committee will have digested this material and prepared for a discussion of the subject. Thus, as Senator Jones puts it, it will likely be some time before the committee members will feel well enough acquainted with the subject to hold hearings and the chances are that by that time Senator Reed will have returned to Washington.

Another possibility suggested by Senator Jones is that the data to be compiled by the services will be comprehensive enough so that it will give the committee members all the information they desire and that there will be no necessity for conducting hearings.

Many members of the committee
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Likely Results of Naval Conference Studied Here

By M. H. MCINTYRE

AN AGREEMENT that will limit the total tonnage of each Navy, with elastic limitation of categories, reduce the number of battleships, restrict the tonnage of future capital ships to 25,000 tons, retain the submarine but "humanize" its war use by treaty and tend to put an end to competitive building, seems the probable outcome of the London Conference, and the most that can be expected.

Even this result, far removed from the original hope for a bona fide reduction in naval armaments, is contingent upon concessions not yet made, primarily by France and Italy, and secondarily by Japan.

All latest reports indicate that an acute stage has been reached and the present outlook is none too encouraging. Japan, France, and Italy are "standing pat" and their uncompromising attitude threatens the success of the parley.

Nor is the reaction here at home any too favorable. Opposition to any plan that means great expenditures on our own Navy is widely voiced and the attitude of a great section of the press and in Senatorial circles is disturbing the Administration.

There still remains the possibility of a three-power pact in the event that France and Italy cannot be brought into line.

At the present stage of the negotiations, with conflicting reports resulting from each "feeler" put out by the different delegations, accurate forecasts are obviously impossible. To date, however, the conference has been devoid of surprises and the discussions have run true to form.

Failure to place a ban on submarines was a foregone conclusion and graceful acceptance of the inevitable by Sec-

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Secretary Approves Field Artillery Reorganization

THE War Department has approved a reorganization of the Field Artillery, which it desires to complete at the earliest practicable date. The major changes involved are:

The 1st Bn, 9th FA, will be reconstituted at Ft. Lewis, and the 3d Bn, 17 FA, at Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., and both armed with 155mm howitzers.

The 1st, 2d and 13th Ammunition Trains, Hdqrs. and Hdqrs. Btys, and the Service Btys. of the 3d and 5th FA regiments, and all batteries now partially inactive in FA units in the continental United States except those in the 1st Bn, 3d FA, the 2d Bn, 7th FA, and the 2d Bn, 18th FA, will be rendered wholly active.

The Brigade Hdqrs. and Hdqrs. Bty. of the 3d FA Brigade, will be reduced to three officers and five enlisted men.

The strength of each active gun battery will be increased by five men. Provision is being made to give slightly higher grades and ratings to Signal Communications personnel, and for personnel for Infantry liaison detachments in battalions.

The 1st Bn, 5th FA, is to be re-armed with 155mm howitzers, and one battery of the 2d Bn, 5th FA, with 155mm G. P. F. guns.

The 1st Bn, 5th FA, is to be sent to Ft. Ethan Allen for station. The War Department has under consideration moving the 3d Bn, 13th Inf., from Ft. Ethan Allen to Ft. Adams, to decrease crowding at the former post.

The partially inactive batteries that are to be made wholly active will be reconstituted almost entirely by the physical transfer of trained men. The new 155mm howitzer battalions will have trained men transferred to them, in limited numbers only and will be brought to strength by recruiting. The absorption of excess grades and
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Gen. Rivers Analyzes Service Pay Problem

(The following article, written at the request of the *Army and Navy Journal*, represents the views of an outstanding officer, whose career of nearly 47 years of active service qualifies him to speak on the service pay problem.)

By MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM C. RIVERS,
USA-Ret.

Late The Inspector General.

I HAVE not followed closely the details of the present efforts, but I am satisfied that the War Department is presenting the subject to the Congress in a wise and comprehensive manner that will assure careful and sympathetic consideration of the whole Army pay situation by the members of the Military Committees, who have always shown a disposition to give the services fair and liberal treatment in a matter that so deeply affects their welfare.

I am not sure that I am able to submit any new or helpful ideas, but the one suggestion I venture to make is that stress be laid rather on the expense of life in the Army as compared to that of persons of approximately equal age, responsibility and salary in civil life. This phase of the situation may have been fully presented by the War Department, but, if so, it has escaped my attention.

For example, members of Congress have difficulty in understanding why officers in the Army on a certain salary are troubled about living comfortably on their pay, including the education of their children, and the gradual accumulation of reasonable savings in order to buy a home on reaching the retirement age. Some members of Congress have taken examples. They know of families within their own districts where married couples, about the same age, and with approximately the same salary as certain Army officers, appear to live well, send their children to good schools, and are already owning their own homes.

Why this difference? the members of Congress naturally ask. I have not seen emphasized and analyzed the phase that appears to me important that the War Department should thoroughly study, and about which detailed and careful comparisons should be made. It is that the nature of Army work, and particularly the mobility, as it were, of the Army officer throughout his active career, makes inevitable on his part a constant outlay that is largely unknown to civilians, who, for the most part, after marriage really "settle down," and remain in one locality. In order to equalize foreign service, allow all officers the opportunity of attending the various service schools which provide the main intellectual peace-time stimulus and training, and to afford most officers a chance to work at different kinds of Army duty as a part of their development and training, Army officers must necessarily constantly change station. The War Department finds difficulty in carrying out its policy of allowing officers to remain at least two successive years at one station; and the annual number of officers who are shifted from one station to another before they have had the supposedly normal four years at a station is large.

This change involves a whole list of expenses to Army families that is too long to include here, a study of which by the War Department would, it is believed, have a helpful effect in revealing the constant expenses Army families have, many of which are almost wholly unknown to, or unnecessary to, civilian families permanently domiciled in one place.

Some items would be:

a. Two kinds of clothes, civilian and military clothing. Unavoidably, of the latter there are numerous classes
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Press Views Crosby's Selection As D. C. Commissioner

COMMENT on the announcement of the appointment of Maj. Gen. Herbert B. Crosby, Chief of Cavalry, to be a Commissioner of the District of Columbia upon his retirement this March has extended beyond the city limits of Washington. Criticism of the city police force and of crime conditions in Washington from members of Congress and elsewhere and the desire of President Hoover to make the capital city a model of prohibition enforcement, are held to be the reasons for Gen. Crosby's selection by the out-of-town papers. Some of these are optimistic of Gen. Crosby's success, while others point to the troubles of other military men in similar positions. The Washington editors for the most part attack the appointment as contrary to the law, requiring that two of Washington's Commissioners be from civilian life. They take the stand that retired officers are not civilians.

CITING the examples of Brig. Gen. Andrews, and Maj. Gen. Butler in this country and Gen. Lord Byng in London as cases of military men running into trouble trying to clean up crime, the *Philadelphia Public Ledger* (Independent-Republican), states that Gen. Crosby will have his troubles cleaning up Washington. The *Public Ledger* goes on to say: "It would be pleasant to be able to share the President's confidence that a military man can clean up the Capital. * * * It is to be hoped that Gen. Crosby will be more successful than these other military men in administering a highly responsible office which involves duties so different in many respects from those of an Army officer."

"ONE may wonder," says the *New York Herald-Tribune* (Independent-Republican) "Whether in normal circumstances a Quaker President would appoint a chief of cavalry to have charge of police in the District of Columbia. It seems hardly likely. In the announcement of General Crosby's designation for the job there is none of the highfalutin about a clean-up that ushered Gen. Smedley Butler into a similar post in Philadelphia, but the intimation is plain that he is expected to do in Washington what Gen. Butler so signally failed to accomplish in Philadelphia—run the bootleggers out, close the speakeasies, treat the habits and morals of the capital as Leonard Wood did the streets of Havana."

The *Herald-Tribune* then questions the value of the accomplishment if Gen. Crosby turns Washington into a model city as far as prohibition is concerned. "For, after all, the demonstration that is being attempted is one not of the strength of the people, but of autocracy to compel their obedience; and democratic self-government is still an ideal in this land."

COMMENTING on the naming of Gen. Crosby to make Washington "a model of law enforcement," the *New York Sun* (Independent-Republican) states: General Crosby's residence in the District for seven years doubtless has made him fairly familiar with the conditions that need to be remedied. His record as a disciplinarian and as an inspirer of loyalty and efficiency in his subordinates gives assurance that he will produce the best results possible in a large city. President Hoover is so confident of Gen. Crosby's success that he offers the appointment as a "guaranty" that Washington will be free of organized crime. New York, Chicago, and other large cities will watch Gen. Crosby's progress with interest."

Miss Barney To Retire

MISS NANNIE DORNIN BARNEY, who has had nearly forty years of continuous service in the Navy Department, will retire from active service on Feb. 20, 1930. Miss Barney entered the office of Naval Records of the Rebellion, Sept. 25, 1890, one of the group belonging to naval families who were appointed under the provisions of the Act of July 11, 1890, "to be selected by reason of special aptitude for the work, by the Secretary of the Navy."

Miss Barney is the descendant of several famous naval officers. She is the great granddaughter of Commodore Josiah Barney of Revolutionary fame and who defended the City of Washington when it was attacked by the British in 1814. Another illustrious ancestor was Samuel Nicholson, captain, U. S. Navy, who superintended the building and was the first commander of the frigate Constitution. Her father was Capt. Joseph Nicholson Barney, who served first in the United States Navy and later in that of the Confederate States.

Miss Barney is in charge of the old records section of the Office of Naval Records and Library. Capt. Dudley W. Knox, USN, retired, who is in charge of that office, presented her with a letter commending her upon her long and efficient service and the influence her spirit of loyalty and cooperation has had upon her fellow workers.

Favor Retirement Bill

A BILL providing for the retirement of licensed officers of the Army Transport Service was favorably acted upon last week by the House Military Affairs Committee and ordered reported. This bill which allows the retirement on three-quarters pay of licensed navigators and engineers of the Army Transport Service who have reached the age of 64 years and have served 25 years or more in this service or have become incapacitated in line of duty, was passed by the House last session, but failed of enactment in the Senate.

14 Million Words in 6 Mos.

THE War Department sent by radio during the first half of the current fiscal year 14,823,908 words and received 13,265,198. The messages sent had a value of \$250,721.26 and cost for maintenance and power \$13,437.37.

Gaiety And Satire Enliven Carabao Wallow

APPROXIMATELY 350 Carabaos and Hombres gathered at the Thirtieth annual wallow of the Military Order of the Carabao Feb. 8, in the Willard Hotel, Washington, D. C. The dinner was in recognition of the Carabaos who served in the World War.

Music from the Marine Band under the leadership of Capt. Taylor Branson, entertainers and singers and the presentation of original skits written for the occasion made the dinner one that will long be remembered in the annals of this historic organization.

Gen. John J. Pershing, USA, commander in chief of the AEF, and Adm. Henry T. Mayo, USN, commander in chief of the United States fleet during the World War, were the guests of honor, and special guests were corps and fleet commanders of the World War, who gathered from all parts of the country for the reunion of the society of officers who saw service in the Filipino insurrection of 1899.

Among the corps and fleet commanders present were Rear Adm. Hugh Rodman and William B. Fletcher USN; and Maj. Gen. George W. Read, Charles H. Muir, Edward F. McGlachlin, Henry T. Allen, Omar Bundy, William Weigel, William M. Wright, Robert L. Bullard and Samuel D. Sturgis.

After the time-honored toast to the President of the United States and commander in chief of the Army and Navy had been given, the assemblage was apprised of the presence of Col. Carabao Roy Pearce, who made the long and weary hike from Minneapolis to attend the wallow and join his comrades in their annual festivities.

Early acknowledgment of the importance of the United States Navy and the London conference was brought to the banquet by the grand paramount Carabao, Brig. Gen. Ben. H. Fuller, USMC, who stated that it was brought suddenly to mind that no representative of the Carabaos was present at the London session.

After due deliberation, a committee of Carabaos presented what it felt might be a sample of the Navy as a result of the conference, whereupon a trio of maidens appeared in naval costumes and expressed the opinion of the Carabaos in verse and song.

Following the usual custom of the order, the newly-elected officers were then installed by Col. Joseph M. Heller, grand paramount of the Carabao, who decorated Gen. Fuller with the insignia

"WE chime in with the doubtful note—or the hint of an apology," states the *New York Evening Post* (Independent-Republican) "with which the President announces a soldier as the man to do the job." Citing the examples of Butler and Andrews as soldiers who have been given similar jobs, the *Post* goes on to say: "Both of these men accomplished things when their soldierly abilities had free sway. Both, in the end, were 'licked by politicians. Crosby will be a wonder if he escapes a similar fate. It takes a politician, rather than a soldier, to beat politics. And Prohibition, today, is politics."

THE *Washington Post* (Independent) comments: "Technically, Gen. Crosby will become a civilian upon his retirement, and technically he has been an actual resident of the District for longer than three years. Many residents believe, however, that the law contemplating the appointment of men of civilian training, whose residence in Washington is not an official accident. * * * It is possible for an army officer to make a good municipal official and Gen. Crosby's reputation for tact and cooperative ability is in his favor. Nevertheless, two army men to one civilian on the Board of District Commissioners is hardly within the spirit of the law as understood by the people of Washington."

"NO officer of the United States Army or Navy, active or just retired, appointed a Commissioner of the District of Columbia, will comply with the letter or the spirit of the law creating the Commissioner form of government here," declares the *Washington Times* (Independent).

"* * * Army and Navy officers are citizens of the United States, and mighty good ones, too, but it is generally recognized as almost impossible for them to become legal citizens of any State or city while their assignments are being shifted to all points of the compass. * * *

"They are not, in spirit, citizens of Washington, having this city's affairs at heart. They do not participate in the civil and official affairs of this municipality. They are anything else but civilians within the meaning of the existing law."

THE *Washington Herald* (Independent) states: "The people of the District admire Gen. Crosby for his ability and character. But they regret to see a principle sacrificed, and a man of 'national distinction' selected for a post heretofore reserved, under the law, for one of local distinction."

THE *San Diego Union* (Republican) states that the appointment is in accordance with the acceptance of a formula that is deeply cherished by the people of civilized countries.

"Confronted with a problem in which violence figures, they cling devotedly to the notion that if they could only turn the problem over to a sufficiently violent and ruthless manager, it would be solved by a sort of homeopathic dosage. Gen. Crosby may be the mildest and most diplomatic type of army officer, of course; but he is a military man, an old-time 'regular,' and the idea gives a certain comfort to hundreds of thousands who casually read of the appointment but have no acquaintance with the appointee."

There is a suggestion in this appointment that the underworld of Washington is about to be put under martial law. Gen. Crosby himself may intend no such thing, but the prevalence of that belief will do the cavalryman no harm as he undertakes to "ride" Washington's bad men.

Show Arms Test Results

Ft. Benning (Special)—Col. Harris Pendleton, jr., commanding the 29th Infantry, has prepared a compilation showing the results of the regiment's qualifications with infantry weapons which resulted from proficiency tests, which were conducted at the close of the various practice seasons.

Of 1617 men armed with the rifle, 71 were excused, leaving 1546 riflemen to be tested. Of these 1512, or 77.75 per cent of the participants in the tests were qualified.

Seventy of the 1155 men armed with the bayonet were excused, which left 1085 to take the tests. Of these 939, or 85.5 per cent qualified.

The regiment's entire complement of 216 automatic riflemen participated in the tests. Two hundred and ten of them or 97 per cent, were qualified. Forty of the regiment's 356 machine gunners were exempted from the tests, and every member of the 316 tested was qualified.

Two of the 123 howitzer gunners were exempted and every gunner of the 121 remaining was qualified.

Of the 266 men who were excused from the pistol tests, 146 were not eligible to fire because of previous qualifications, and 70 were classified as men required to fire limited courses only. The remaining 50 men of the 266 who did not fire were the only ones who were actually excused from firing tests. Of the remaining 428 men armed with pistol, 318, or 74.25 per cent, were qualified.

The number of men excused from the various tests was reduced to the absolute minimum and those who did not engage in them were prevented from doing so by unavoidable circumstances.

Because of the regiment's variety of duties in connection with demonstrations for the Infantry School, and with tests of new war-strength organizations, its training seasons for the various weapons were frequently interrupted, and more severe handicaps imposed upon the regiment during the qualification seasons than is usually experienced by troops in garrison. On account of tests of the war-strength battalion which will continue for some time, and anticipation of a great number of demonstrations for the Infantry School this season, Col. Pendleton has decided to omit bayonet training of the 29th Infantry from the training program of this year.

nia of his office as grand paramount Carabao. In accepting the office Gen. Fuller, who presided at the dinner, spoke of the old days in the Orient, the hazardous adventures and hardships, and the friendships formed between the Army, Navy and Marine Corps under the most trying conditions of campaigning in the Far East.

The other officers installed were Capt. David M. Addison, USN, grand patriarch of the herd; Maj. Gen. Charles McK. Saltzman, USA, grand bell Carabao Brig. Gen. Harry F. Rethers, USA, grand counsellor of the herd; Col. Harold C. Reisinger, USMC, grand jefe de los banos; Rear Adm. Luke McNamee, USN, grand jefe de los cargadores; Col. Joseph M. Heller, MRC, USA, grand lead and wheel Carabao; Brig. Gen. Chase W. Kennedy, USA, main guard; Rear Adm. Ridley McLean, USN, winder of the horn; Capt. Edgar B. Larimer, USN, carretonero; Capt. Reynolds J. Burt, USA, gamboling Carabao, and Brig. Gen. Frank R. Keefer, USA, veterinario.

The grand paramount Carabao then appointed as bombarino for the evening Rear Adm. M. M. Taylor, USN, the office being one which originated at the first meeting in Manila. The duties of the bombarino are to lead the herd to recreation at frequent intervals, and a motion made by the bombarino takes precedence over all other business.

Col. Reynolds J. Burt, USA, leader of the Carabao chorus, was frequently called upon to lead the herd in song.

The Navy was remembered in a sketch in which "Barnacle Bill," referred to in song by a charming miss as a member of the "Pole Cat Club," resented the insinuation in another song in which he told how he wanted to be a Carabao.

A decided novelty was a talking picture produced especially for the dinner by the United States Army Signal Corps in which Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo, leader of the Philippine Insurrection, extended his greetings to the Carabao and said in part:

"I greet you all today with all the warmth of which my heart is capable. The Filipino associated veterans, 70,000 strong, join me in this greeting. Some of them who were with me in many a campaign are present as I read this message to you, all reminiscent of how brave adversaries you all were in war, (Please turn to Page 574)

Gen. Rivers' Article

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—uniforms for winter, uniforms of another sort for the hot dry summers, and again partly different uniforms for tropical service—Different sorts of caps and shoes for most of the above. Again, uniforms for field training work in peace, and better military clothing for more formal garrison life. A considerable accumulation of different types of footwear for the above, much of it costly.

Expensive things, like field glasses, sabres, pistols, leather belts, two types; saddles, saddle cloths, harness, and many smaller items quite unknown ordinarily to neighboring civilians.

b. Purchase of additional clothing for members of an officer's family, following shifts of residence which bring the family into a markedly different climate. Considerable cost of minor repairs to the officer's furniture after every move; costly minor articles necessary to settling in another house.

c. Isolated Army stations, with the numerous long school vacations of modern life, necessitate great expense in the education of officers' children. The same isolation adds large bills for travel when unfortunately a member of an officer's family must be sent off to a specialist, or for some major surgical operation.

d. The very important fact—not to be ignored, that the Army officer, and to a great extent his family, is always on view—on parade—as it were. In a way strangers in the community—"show people," to a certain extent—local sentiment among even conservative civilian neighbors demands a dressy appearance, a neatness and snap on the part of "their Army garrison" which the same civilians would never think of exacting of local lawyers, bankers or doctors with moderate incomes, who are making great sacrifice to send their children to good preparatory schools and colleges.

Any officer who has served as long as the writer did on the active list could compile a formidable list of unavoidable expenditures of the kinds mentioned—from the buffalo coats of old days, buffalo robes to put on the Montana snow at 20 below zero, numberless tropical suits and sun topees, and on through the years, allotting good sums for storage of wool clothes while the owner worked in the tropics, with liberal allowances to the moths during the long storage years; losses of costly horses and saddles by fire in garrison; expensive riding horses well trained turned over to government at the outbreak of the War at half what the owner paid for the animals, and so on ad infinitum.

The members of Congress would be interested in such items—some members may not understand that officers purchase the above items from their personal salary. The furnishing of uniforms, arms, animals, etc., to officers by the government might be provided for; but the inevitable squabble with the auditing authorities would be wearing; and would the tendency not be toward less individuality, less pride and snap? An officer likes his own sabre, his own pistol, field glasses, his own saddles, his own horses: they are a part of his professional life.

Reserve Figures Compiled

LT. COL. EDGAR J. ROBERSON,

Air Res., secretary of the Reserve Officers' Association of the United States, has caused to be compiled the numerical strength of the Officers' Reserve Corps, active and inactive, including dual status officers, as of Feb. 1. The figures, by Corps Area, are: 1st—5,721 active, 1060 inactive and 1197 dual status officers—total, 7,987; 2nd—9828 active, 1782 inactive, and 1681 dual status—total, 13,291; 3rd—8804 active, 1628 inactive, and 1222 dual status—total, 11,648; 4th—9564 active, 1722 inactive, 1061 dual status—total, 12,347; 5th—7460 active, 1365 inactive, 1175 dual status—total, 10,000; 6th—8199 active, 1596 inactive, 1080 dual status—total, 10,875; 7th—8763 active, 1597 inactive, 1319 dual status—total, 11,679; 8th—6581 active, 1202 inactive, 740 dual status—total, 8523; 9th—9333 active, 1718 inactive, 1256 dual status—total, 12,307; all Corps Areas—74,253 active, 13,664 inactive, 10,731 dual status—total, 98,648.

Issue 8th C. A. Directive

Ft. Sam Houston (Special)—A new directive has been published from 8th Corps Area headquarters, superseding the directive for general mobilization procedure and for preparation and revision of mobilization plans published in 1926.

W. D. Regulations Changed

RECENT CHANGES in Army regulations, training and technical regulations, and new War Department circulars issued have been:

The Assistant Secretary of War: Procurement of Supplies; Interbranch Procurement (AR 5-300, C 2).

Inspector General's Department: Inspection of posts and Camps (AR 20-10 C 2).

Finance Department: Pay of Officers; General Provisions (AR 35-1620—changed to effect that Military Academy graduates are, upon acceptance of commission granted by reason of graduation, entitled to pay from graduation); Accountability for Library Books (AR 35-6800—changed to provide for traveling libraries).

Medical Department: The Administration of Hospitals, General Provisions (AR 40-590, entirely revised).

Military Education: General and Special Service Schools, General Provisions (AR 350-110, C 3).

Officers: Instruction with the Saber (TR 25-10, C 4); Marksmanship: Pistol, Mounted (TR 150-25, C 3). Infantry: Dismounted Ceremonies (TR 420-20, C 2); Drill, the Heavy Tank, Platoon and Company (TR 420-255, C 4). Field Artillery: The Firing Battery (TR 430-70, C 1). Air Corps: Airship Aerodynamics (TR 1170-200—a text for instruction of student airship pilot and for reference by rated pilot). The Buzzerphone, Type EE-1-A (TR 1230-5—instrument being a wire telegraph set designed to provide maximum security from enemy intercept methods.)

Circular No. 3—Appointment of Reserve Officers—Changes in AR 140-5 (described elsewhere). Circular No. 4: Preparation, Conduct and Observation of Fire; Additional Compensation for Special Qualification in the Use of Arms; Intercoastal Freight Rates; Rescission of Certain Tables of Organization. Circular No. 5: Reports Regarding Certain Applicants for Enlistment—Changes in AR 600-750; Transfers of Enlisted Men to, from, and within the DEMU—Changes in AR 615-200; Reorganization of the Coast Artillery Corps. Circular No. 6: Rescission of War Department Numbered Circulars; Reorganization of the Field Artillery.

Radio School Starts

Ft. Benning (Special)—A radio school for enlisted men of the 29th Inf. began on Feb. 10. An elementary class was organized from the new pupils and an advanced course for those men who were graduated from the school last year.

The 29th Inf. maintains amateur radio station W4HU which recently was designated net command station for southwest Georgia.

Uphold Right of Search

REVIEWING the conviction of an officer of the Marine Corps by a general court-martial on the charge of having alcoholic liquor in possession, the Secretary of the Navy approved the proceeding, findings and sentence to lose 20 numbers in grade.

The accused questioned the right of his commanding officer to search the government quarters that the accused was occupying in his official capacity at the marine barracks. The contention of the accused was based upon the assumption that the order of the commanding officer to search the accused's quarters for intoxicating liquor was unreasonable and therefore in violation of his constitutional rights.

The Judge Advocate ruled that under the provisions of Article 118, U. S. Navy Regulations, it became the clear duty of the commanding officer to do so should he have reason to suspect that the aforesaid regulation is being violated.

In another decision the right to search a man's belongings aboard ship for evidence of the violation of regulations was brought out, but the search of premises occupied by accused not under naval jurisdiction without a search warrant was held to be illegal and evidence so procured inadmissible.

Endorses Lewis Memorial

Columbus, Tenn. (Special)—The resolution recently introduced by Representative Eslick, providing for the expenditure of \$150,000 in the park recently given to the United States by Tennessee to be used as a national shrine commemorating the deeds of Capt. Merriweather Lewis, of the famous Lewis and Clark expedition, is strongly endorsed in a recent editorial in the Daily Herald, of this city.

Publish JAG Res. Rulings

CORPS AREA and Department commanders have been notified that first lieutenants, JAG-Res., who since Jan. 1, 1928, have been reappointed with eligibility for promotion, and who are not members of the National Guard, are considered professionally qualified for promotion to the grade of captain in that section, regardless of whether or not they meet the requirements of paragraph 47 a (2), AR 140-5. (This paragraph prescribes possession of certificate of capacity or its alternative, vacancy under procurement objective, and service in grade). Recommendations for promotion are to be submitted to The Adjutant General's Office by Corps Area commanders for the territorial assignment group, and by The Judge Advocate General for the branch assignment group.

In the case of each such officer it is desired that recommendation regarding promotion be submitted to this office by individual communication. The recommendation will be submitted by the Corps Area Commander for the T. A. Group, accompanied by report of physical examination, and by The Judge Advocate General for the B. A. Group. Recommendation need not be accompanied by report of vacancy.

First lieutenants, JAG-Res., who have not been reappointed since Jan. 1, 1928, and who, during current appointment, qualify for reappointment with eligibility for promotion, should be considered for promotion as indicated above, and recommendation forwarded immediately. For example, a first lieutenant, JAG-Res., whose appointment will expire Jan. 1, 1931, should be considered for promotion and recommendation with respect thereto forwarded immediately, provided he has a certificate of capacity for first lieutenant, or captain, JAG-Res., or at least 150 hours of credit earned during his current appointment period.

When action has been taken in the cases of those now eligibles as indicated, consideration will be given to appropriate change in paragraph 6 d, AR 140-5 (which authorizes grades in the JAG Res. from first lieutenant to colonel), and to efforts to fill vacancies in the JAG Res. by transfers from other sections.

First lieutenants, JAG Res., who qualify to regain eligibility for promotion, will be considered for appointment as captain.

6,000 CMTC for 3rd C. A.

Baltimore (Special)—Maj. Gen. Fred W. Sladen, commanding the 3rd Corps Area, has been charged with the procurement of 6000 CMTC trainees for this year, and has ordered the 3rd Corps Area divided into seven procurement districts.

Detached officers on Organized Reserve, National Guard, and Recruiting duty are charged with procurement locally.

800 ROTC in 2nd CA

Governors Island (Special).—Nearly 800 college men, representing the ROTC cadets of 14 educational institutions located in New York State, New Jersey and Delaware, will go into military training under field conditions at Regular Army camps this summer, according to announcement from headquarters of Maj. Gen. Hanson E. Ely, commanding the 2nd Corps Area.

The student-soldiers will become eligible for commissions in the Army Reserve upon completion of their courses. Regular Army officers stationed at the schools as professors of military science and tactics will accompany the students to camp, cooperating with the permanent camp staffs.

The complete schedule of ROTC training centers is:

Within the 2nd Corps Area: Madison Barracks, June 13-July 24, FA training for 148 students from Princeton and Cornell; Ft. Monmouth, June 15-July 26, SC, and radio training for a variable number of Cornell students; Plattsburg Barracks, June 13-July 24, Infantry training for 334 students from N. Y. U., Rutgers, Syracuse U., Manlius School, Bordentown, M.I. LaSalle M. A., and N. Y. M. A.; Mitchell Field, June 13-July 24, AC training for 27 N. Y. U. students.

Outside centers: Ft. Monroe, June 15 to July 26, CA training for 38 Fordham and U. of Delaware students; Ft. Ethan Allen, June 15-July 26, Cavalry; Aberdeen Proving Ground, June 15-July 26, Ordnance training for 17 Cornell students; Carlisle Barracks, June 15-July 26, MC training for 70 students from N. Y. U., Cornell, Albany Medical College, and U. of Buffalo; Edgewood Arsenal, June 15-July 26, CWS training for students to be designated.

Adm. McCormick to Retire

REAR ADM. ALBERT M. D. MCCORMICK, MC, USN, will reach the statutory retiring age of 64 years on March 27.

Adm. McCormick was born at Berryville, Va. He graduated from the U. of Maryland School of Medicine and College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1888, and was commissioned as assistant surgeon on July 23, 1888, and promoted to passed assistant surgeon March 5, 1897. During the Spanish-American War he served on the Venezuela (Panther), and after service aboard other ships was stationed at the Naval Academy in 1901. He was promoted to lieutenant commander April 27, 1903. In 1908 he was attached to the USS Maine as fleet surgeon, 3rd Squadron, Atlantic Fleet, and in 1910 was assigned to the Connecticut as fleet surgeon, Atlantic Fleet.

In 1910, he returned to the Naval Academy at Annapolis, where he served until 1919, when he was appointed inspector of Medical Department activities on the west coast with additional duty in command of the Naval Medical Supply Depot, Mare Island. In 1918 he was given temporary rank as rear admiral, Medical Corps. April 26, 1923, he was appointed to the Naval Retiring Board and Board of Examiners, Navy Department, of which he is now president.

Adm. McCormick was awarded a letter of commendation for his service as head of department of physiology and hygiene and senior medical officer, USNA, during the World War. He was awarded the decoration of "The Order of the Bust of Bolivar" by Venezuela.

Adm. McCormick will remain on duty with the Naval Examining Board until the date of his retirement.

Army Transport Sailings

ST. MIHIEL, scheduled to leave Honolulu Feb. 18, arrive San Francisco February 24; leave March 1, arrive Corinto March 9; leave March 12, arrive Panama March 11; leave March 12, arrive New York March 12. Leave New York April 18; arrive San Juan, April 22; leave San Juan April 23; arrive Cristobal April 26; leave Cristobal May 5; arrive San Juan May 5; leave San Juan May 5; arrive New York May 9.

Cambrai, scheduled to arrive New York February 15; leave New York February 21; arrive Panama February 27; leave Panama February 28; arrive Corinto March 2; leave March 2, arrive San Francisco March 10; leave San Francisco March 15; arrive Honolulu March 21; leave Honolulu April 1; arrive San Francisco April 7.

Ch. Thierry, scheduled to arrive in New York February 18; leave New York March 28, arrive Panama April 3; leave Panama April 4; arrive Corinto April 6; leave Corinto April 6; arrive San Francisco April 14.

Grant, scheduled to arrive Honolulu February 14; leave February 15; arrive Guam February 25; leave February 25; arrive Manila March 3; leave March 11; arrive Chinwangtao March 16; leave March 17; arrive Nagasaki March 20; leave March 20; arrive Honolulu March 31; leave April 2; arrive San Francisco April 8; leave April 12; arrive Corinto April 20; leave April 20; arrive Panama April 22; leave April 23; arrive New York April 29; leave New York May 7; arrive Panama May 13; leave Panama May 14; arrive Corinto May 16; leave May 16; arrive San Francisco May 24.

Alumni Pointer Planned

West Point (Special).—The Pointer, bi-weekly publication of the Corps of Cadets, is working on a plan to have the "Hundredth Night Number" used as a program and menu for the various graduates' dinners this year.

The editor, Cadet R. J. Wood, has sent letters requesting cooperation to the officers in charge of the dinners in Washington, Cleveland, San Francisco, St. Louis, Detroit, Boston, Philadelphia, Columbus, New York City, Denver, Chicago, Los Angeles, Ft. Sill, and Omaha.

It is planned to dedicate this issue to the graduates, and print the programs of all the dinners. Enough copies will be forwarded to each city so that each graduate, when he sits down to the table, will find a copy at his place.

AC Commandant Transferred

EFFECTIVE June 15, Lt. Col. Jacob W. S. Wuest, AC, now commandant at Langley Field, will assume command of Chanute Field, Lt. Col. Roy C. Kirtland, AC, as previously announced, relieving him at Langley Field.

THE UNITED STATES ARMY

Supplement CAC Order

THE War Department communication of Jan. 6, relative to Coast Artillery training, was supplemented in another letter this week, which declares that the 12th Coast Artillery (HD) is not to be designated at either Seacoast or Antiaircraft Artillery. It will be assigned to Antiaircraft Artillery and to submarine mines.

The following language is elided from the Jan. 6 letter:

"No members of the (care-taking) detachments, commissioned or enlisted, will be assigned to any duty which will interfere with their caretaking activities. Neither will this personnel be permanently or temporarily removed from the armament and installations for which they are responsible without the specific approval of the Secretary of War in each case."

"The personnel of this organization (the 8th Sound Ranging Battery) will not be assigned any duty or receive any training in any subject that in the opinion of the commanding officer of the battery will interfere with the development program for subaqueous sound ranging as prescribed by the Chief of Coast Artillery."

The changed sections now read: "In Table of Allotment 12028 (A revision of Table of Allotment 12020, approved April 16, 1926, now in preparation) there is shown the allocation of officers and enlisted men that the Secretary of War deems necessary for assignment to care properly for the Coast Artillery armament including guns, ammunition, fire control installations and accessories in the respective inactive harbor defenses. These caretaking detachments are charged with the maintenance of the armament of those harbor defenses in a condition to permit its effective employment in the early phases of any emergency."

"Caretaking detachments will receive training in the subjects listed (first aid and personal and social hygiene, and interior guard duty), and in gunner's instruction."

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Plan Motor Exhibit

Ft. Benning (Special)—A military motor show sponsored by the 2d Battalion, 1st Tank Regiment, is scheduled to be held here on the afternoons of April 23 and 24. Every available type of the numerous classes of motor vehicles in use at the Infantry School are to be represented. Eight different makes of passenger cars and several varieties of trucks in addition to the tanks and tractors will be comprised in the display. Among the heavier vehicles which will be shown will be the new Liberty 6-wheel tank carriers which have been received recently by the tank battalion; the Mack standard carrier; the troop carrier on the White chassis, which was developed by Capt. Maddox of the 100th Motor Transport Company; the map reproduction plant truck used by the 7th Engineers; and the Ordnance Department's artillery repair truck.

Probably the most interesting military features of the exhibit will be the heavy, or Mark VIII, tank; the 6-ton special tractor, or light tank; and the newer types of tanks which include the T1E1 tank, the T1E1 cargo carrier, the new medium A 23-ton tank, and the tractor gun mounts of the 83d FA Battalion. All of these latter of recent developments of the Ordnance Department. The exhibit will illustrate some of the progress which has been made in military motor vehicles since the World War.

Civilian agencies for cars, trucks, and tractors are to be invited to participate in the motor show and are expected to display a number of types of vehicles which can be adapted readily to military uses, in addition to the newest passenger cars.

The exhibit will be held on the southern end of Gordon field where a grandstand for spectators and booths for the exhibitors will be erected.

The tentative program includes a review, in motion, of all equipment, an inspection of organization booths on a competitive basis. Competitions of various types of equipment which will be judged on performance and special stunts. Prizes for booths, exhibits and competitive events will be awarded.

W. D. Reports on Bills

AMENDMENT to the National Defense Act is sought in H. R. 2672 a bill which would allow students in the senior courses of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps to be credited with training received in the Regular Army, Navy and Marine Corps, National Guard, Naval Academy and Citizens' Military Training Camps.

Under existing law, only military training given at schools maintaining units of the junior division or other institutions at which an officer of the Regular Army is detailed as professor of military science, can be credited toward work with the senior division of the ROTC.

Favorable report has been made by the Secretary of War.

Reporting on Mr. Lankford's bill to authorize the Chief of Engineers of the Army to make a survey for the construction of a concrete road from Virginia Beach, Va., to Kitty Hawk, N. C., the Secretary of War states that under the law, matters of this kind come under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of Agriculture. However, Mr. Hurley states that the War Department imposes no objection to the enactment of the bill.

No recommendation is made by the Secretary of War on H. R. 9153, "to provide for the commemoration of the military encampment at Middlebrook Heights, near Bound Brook, N. J., where George Washington was in camp at the time of the adoption of the United States' flag by Congress, June 14, 1777." He states that he believes this to be a matter for Congress to decide.

Tests At Aberdeen

Aberdeen Proving Ground (Special).—Quantity production of T-2 fuses for the Field Artillery (combination instantaneous short delay fuse) has begun here.

Arrangements are being made to conduct tests of some of the largest demolition bombs on solid rock on the Ft. Sill reservation, to determine functioning when the bombs strike severe resistance.

Ask Credit for MA Service

SENATOR GREENE this week at the request of the War Department introduced a bill to allow eight officers of the Army and one former officer to count all the time served at the Military Academy in computing length of service.

The officers affected all entered the Academy in 1911 and left during their first year. Early the next year they were reappointed, to enter with the class of 1916. As they had previously had a 4th class Summer encampment they were provisionally accepted but not actually admitted until August 28, 1912, although the other members of the class of 1916 entered in June. On August 24, 1912, an act was passed by Congress, providing that hereafter service at the Academy shall not be counted in computing length of service in the Army.

This bill would allow them to count their service at the Academy and would refund to certain of the officers such amounts as they have repaid on account of the disallowance of credit for their service at the Academy, and further would pay to them such allowances as they may not have drawn.

The officers affected are as follows: Majors De Rosey C. Cabell, James N. Caperton, Junius H. Houghton, Otto F. Lange, Thomas G. Peyton, James deB. Walbach, Victor W. B. Wales, and Captains Thomas McF. Cockrill and Paul B. Parker.

Against Full Pay

ADVERSE report has been given by the Secretary of War on Representative Johnson's bill to give to all retired enlisted men who were on active duty status during the World War and who did not serve as commissioned officers, the full pay and allowances of the grade they held during the war.

It is a well established principle that retired pay for both commissioned and enlisted personnel shall not exceed 75 per cent of their active pay, the Secretary declared in his letter. If the proposed bill should become a law he continued, it would establish a precedent of retirement with full pay and allowances which should in equal justice be extended to all enlisted men who served in the World War and who may have been or may be retired.

May Not Sell Reservation

FAVORABLE report has been made by the Secretary of War on H. R. 6871, a bill which would repeal the act authorizing the sale of Jackson Barracks Military Reservation. The reservation is now occupied by the state of Louisiana for National Guard purposes, and the state holds an option for its purchase. Upon the release of this option, the reservation may be leased by the War Department to the state for National Guard purposes. The bill provides.

Army Notes

Ft. Francis E. Warren (Special).—1st Lt. Archie B. Whitlow, 1st Inf., is announced as the post exchange officer, the ordnance officer, the chemical warfare officer and the engineer officer here.

Ft. Snelling (Special).—Maj. Harry J. Keeley, 3rd Inf., has been detailed as post athletic officer. He relieves Maj. Emil F. Reinhardt.

Seattle (Special).—Boeing Airplane Company is running full blast on 90 single-seater P-12B, "Wasp" powered pursuit planes for the Army. Various changes from the P-12 now in use by the Army are incorporated in the new model. All of the static tests have been completed satisfactorily.

The Boeing Model 100, which recently attracted national attention by developing speed in excess of 200 m. p. h. and outperforming other Boeing fighters, is undergoing additional tests by the Army at Dayton.

Seventy-two "Wasp" powered Boeing fighters are aboard the Lexington and Saratoga now on winter maneuvers, and Jack Harding, round-the-world Army flier, now liaison officer for the Boeing Airplane Company, is accompanying the fleet to observe performance of the fighters.

Maj. Layson E. Atkins, CE, has been ordered relieved as assistant to the engineer commissioner, District of Columbia, and assigned as member of the Board of Road Commissioners for Alaska, Juneau. He will leave New York for his new post about May 28.

Omaha (Special).—Maj. Marshall G. Randol, 3rd FA, Ft. Benjamin Harrison, has been ordered here for duty with the General Staff with troops.

Ft. Sam Houston (Special).—Maj. John G. Tyndall, IGD, is announced as assistant to the inspector, 8th Corps Area.

Baltimore (Special).—Capt. Samuel N. Karrick, CE, is announced as 3rd Corps Area engineer officer, vice Col. Warren T. Hannum.

T. H. Guide Published

Ft. Shafter (Special).—Maj. Casey Hayes, assistant chief of staff, G-2, Hawaiian Department, has prepared a Digest of Information on the Hawaiian Department and the Territory of Hawaii which, according to announcement by Maj. Gen. Fox Conner, commanding the Hawaiian Department, will be distributed among all officers ordered to duty in the Islands.

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SERVICE NEWS AND GOSSIP

Coast Guard
Reserve Forces

WOULD INDEMNIFY BORDER NG VETERANS

ASSEMBLYMAN Louis A. Cuvillier has introduced in the New York State legislature an act providing that each officer and enlisted man of the National Guard who was mustered into the service of the United States, and served in response to the call of the President of June 19, 1916, shall receive from the State for the term he so served the pay to which he would be entitled under the military law if he had been ordered for duty and had served within the State, less the compensation paid or to be paid by the United States. It is further provided that if any such officer or enlisted man shall have died the additional compensation to which he would have been entitled under this act shall be payable to his executor or administrator.

SELECTION BOARD FOR MC CAPTAIN TO MEET.

A MEDICAL CORPS selection board will meet on March 13 to recommend one officer of the Medical Corps for promotion to the rank of rear admiral, it was announced this week. The board is composed of Rear Adm. Albert M. D. McCormick, MC, president, Rear Adm. Charles H. T. Lowndes, MC, and Rear Adm. Charles E. Riggs, MC, the Surgeon General. Lt. Comdr. George P. Carr, MC, will act as recorder.

The vacancy will occur as a result of the retirement on March 27, of Adm. McCormick, who will reach the age of 64 on that day. Eighteen captains of the Medical Corps whose running mates of the line have been promoted to the rank of rear admiral are eligible for the selection.

COAST GUARD ACADEMY BILL GOES TO SENATE COMMITTEE

THE HOUSE BILL to change the limit of cost for the construction of the Coast Guard Academy from \$1,750,000 to \$2,500,000 was this week referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce.

LOW PERCENTAGE OF OFFICERS DISMISSED.

THE BUREAU OF NAVIGATION recently published a compilation of the number of officers who resigned, were dismissed and dropped during the past three calendar years.

Thirteen officers were dismissed during 1929, it was revealed, two less than the previous year and one more than in 1927. Eleven officers were dropped from the service during this period, none of them, however, during 1929.

Basing the number of officers dismissed each year on the total officer personnel, it will be seen that only fifteen one-hundredths of one per cent are separated from the service each year as a result of disciplinary action.

In 1927 107 line officers, 38 staff officers, and 12 chief warrant and warrant officers resigned from the Navy. The next year the total dropped from 157 to 133, only 82 line officers leaving the service by resignation, the remainder being composed of 47 staff officers and 12 chief warrant and warrant officers. Last year 103 line, 45 staff, and 2 chief warrant and warrant officers resigned from the Navy, a total of 150.

NAVY HAD 10,606 ENLISTMENT APPLICATIONS LAST MONTH.

APPLICATIONS for enlistment in the Navy during the month of January totaled 10,606, it was announced recently. Of this number 1550 were accepted, 1,281 being first enlistments and 269 reenlistments. The total number of enlistments was slightly less during December and November, whereas the reenlistment figure has been increasing during the past few months.

POOR PAY AND SLOW PROMOTION CAUSE RESIGNATIONS

A RECENT ANALYSIS of the number of resignations of officers in the Navy reveals that of the 292 line officers who have resigned during the past three calendar years, 70 of these have been in the grade of Lieutenants (jg) and 174 in the grade of Ensigns. In other words, 84 percent of all the line officers who have resigned have been in the two grades of Lieutenant (jg) and Ensign. In the Staff Corps, of the 130 officers who have resigned during the past three years, 85 officers, or 65 per cent, have been Lieutenants (jg) in the Medical Corps. In other words, of the total number of officers in the Navy, approximately 8,900, 78 per cent of those who resign are Lieutenants (jg) and Ensigns of the line and Lieutenants (jg) Medical Corps. The preponderant reasons given by those officers for resigning are: (a) Inadequacy of pay; (b) Poor prospects of promotion beyond Lieutenant Commander.

"COURTESY CARDS" TO BE GIVEN ALL NR OFFICERS.

IDENTIFICATION CARDS, requesting commanding officers of all ships and stations of the Navy to extend all possible courtesies to them when visiting will be issued to Naval Reserve officers in the near future. Following suggestions made at the Naval Reserve Conference held recently in the Bureau of Navigation, it was decided this week that the Bureau would issue the cards to Reserve officers as a means of promoting closer relations with the Reserve. The cards will be similar to those now given to Naval Reserve aviators.

281 MIDSHIPMEN PUT IN FOR PENSACOLA.

TWO HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE members of the Class of 1930 of the Naval Academy have put in for flight training at Pensacola, a recent bulletin of the Bureau of Aeronautics reveals. Aviation physical examinations have been carried on during the past month and announcement is expected within the next week as to those qualified. Six planes will be available for the Spring flying course for members of the graduating class, consisting of two PMs, two PMIs, one XPH and one F51.

DILL AMENDMENT NOT NEEDED

PENDING IN THE SENATE is the Reed resolution authorizing a Commission to recommend legislation under which in time of war property as well as men can be confiscated. Senator Dill, of Washington, has proposed an amendment to the Constitution for this purpose. It seems to us no amendment to the Constitution is necessary. That instrument contains a provision "nor shall private property be taken for public use without just compensation." In other words, Congress has the right to order that private property be taken for national defense, provided it be paid for. All Congress has to do is to enact a bill directing the draft of property upon suitable terms—and undoubtedly the Courts will uphold the authorizing law. If any measure be passed on the subject at this time, we can expect it will be in the way of a direction for an inquiry.

OVERWORK SEEN AS CAUSE OF ADM. HUGHES' ILLNESS

WE DEEPLY REGRET the illness of Admiral Hughes, Chief of Naval Operations. An officer of ability and distinction, he has, throughout his naval career, been guided by one purpose—love of country and of the service which he has dignified. We are assured that the Admiral is recovering, and we trust the time is not distant when he will be back at his desk. The attack the Admiral suffered unquestionably was due to overwork. Therefore, we urge prompt action on the bill authorizing an Assistant Chief of Operations.

RULE ON OR COMMISSION AFTER SEPARATION FROM NG

BY TERMS of recent War Department memoranda, former Reserve Officers whose appointments were based on Federal recognition in the National Guard may be re-appointed in the Officers' Reserve Corps in any grade not above the highest held in the Army of the United States, except that he will not be appointed to a grade above the lowest in the section unless a vacancy exists in the procurement objective, and provided that he has the prescribed commissioned service.

Full credit will be given, upon appointment in the Officers' Reserve Corps, for commissioned service in the Federally recognized National Guard.

Any former Reserve officer whose last appointment in the Officers' Reserve Corps was based on Federal recognition in the National Guard may, after separation from the National Guard, apply for appointment in the Officers' Reserve in the grade he was holding at appointment in the National Guard. If otherwise qualified, he may be appointed regardless of vacancies under the procurement objective and regardless of suspensions of appointments in any particular section.

30th DIV. COMMANDER WELCOMES 113th FA.

ON THE occasion of the assignment of the 113th Field Artillery Regiment, N. C. NG, to the 55th FA Brigade, 30th Division, Maj. Gen. E. G. Peyton, commanding the division, published the following welcome in General Orders:

"Those who have experienced in battle the helping hand of the heavy calibres fully appreciate the great advantage, especially to the Infantryman, of having at back and call the power to search out and scatter menacing enemy concentrations, to penetrate his materiel protection to deny him the free use of roads and to further minimize his death-dealing agencies by effective counter battery effort. In appreciation of this added strength and in behalf of the 30th Division, the Commanding General hereby officially extends a most enthusiastic welcome, individually and collectively, to the officers and men of the 113th Field Artillery Regiment (North Carolina)."

LIMIT OVERCOAT ALTERATIONS, WAR DEPARTMENT DEMAND

UNNECESSARY alterations in the new style overcoats recently issued to the Army have been made, according to War Department advices, including shortening of skirts, altering backs, waists, and arm-holes. Attention of commands was accordingly called to the following facts:

There are ten sizes of overcoat—Regular 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, and 44; Longs 34, 36, 38, and 40.

The length of the overcoat is designed to reach about midway between knee and ankle. A loose-fitting garment is contemplated; while the design of the back provides not less than four inches to be folded under the belt, it is still not to be strictly form-fitting.

In view of the 50 per cent turn-over annually, the garments are made for issue and re-issue, and should not be altered to measure for individuals. Therefore, only minor alterations, such as shortening sleeves, moving buttons, and shortening skirts should be necessary, and the latter only when the soldier is short in height.

WILL CONFINE EXCESS LEAVE TO EMERGENCIES

THE War Department has announced a policy that excess leave of absence will not be granted to officers and warrant officers except in cases of grave emergency, such as death in the family or for the purpose of settling an estate.

Hereafter, when submitting an application for leave of absence, the officer or warrant officer submitting same is to state, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the months and days accrued leave due him.

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Schedule Submarine Class

A CLASS in submarine training will convene at the Submarine Base, New London, on July 7. About thirty officers will be assigned to this class. The orders of those selected will provide for the transportation of their dependents, if any, to New London. The course will last about six months, and those completing it will be assigned to duty aboard submarines.

Prospective students are reminded that duty on submarines can be satisfactorily performed only by officers of ability. Not only are they required to demonstrate special proficiency in the execution of their military duties, but they are charged at all times with the safeguarding of ships and crews to a degree not approached on any other type of vessel. Such officers will be found among those whom the commanding officer feels can be trusted, after training, to handle his own ship under way as officer of the deck, in a dependable manner.

Officers who will have completed two or more years' sea duty are eligible for submarine training. This includes the Naval Academy class of 1928. Those who are eligible for this assignment are reminded that a submarine is practically the only type of ship that they will be eligible to command until they have been out of the Naval Academy for approximately 15 years; that the training incidental to command is the most valuable the Navy offers to line officers and that this duty is good training for any line duties they may be called upon to perform and for many lines of technical duty.

Against Mare Island Bill

UNFAVORABLE report has been made by the Navy Department on H. R. 957, a bill authorizing the construction of a storehouse at Mare Island at a cost of \$800,000.

The Director of the Budget upon application of the Navy Department stated that such expenditure would be in conflict with the financial program of the President.

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Navy Dental Notes

THREE newly commissioned dental officers have reported for duty at the Naval Academy. Lts. (jg.) Jesse B. Bancroft, George H. Mills, and Edwin A. Thomas, following the confirmation of their appointments recently, have been assigned to the Academy, and Lt. (jg.) Thomas Crowley, who successfully passed the examination for appointment in the Dental Corps of the Navy at the same time, has been detailed to the Naval Training Station at Great Lakes, Ill.

The number of hospital corpsmen designed as assistants to dental officers has recently been increased to 159, through completion of training of 12 corpsmen who received an extended course in laboratory technique at the Naval Dental School, Washington, D. C. These 12 men have been designated as dental mechanics. The Bureau of Medicine and Surgery is endeavoring to train a sufficient number of hospital corpsmen as dental technicians to enable the assignment of a capable assistant to each dental officer. The effort is being made also to provide a short intensive course of instruction at the Dental School in laboratory technique, to a limited number of men to permit the detail of these men to hospitals equipped to furnish dental prosthesis. The Bureau considers that the training being provided will effect a material increase in the amount of dental service rendered the personnel.

The dental department of the Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif., has recently undergone enlargement and improvement. An additional dental officer is to be assigned to this activity, which with additional equipment installed will result in a greatly improved dental service for naval personnel in the vicinity of Mare Island.

Naval Reserve Notes

A NEW letter has been issued by the Bureau of Navigation on the subject of abolition of the rating of enginemen. In the first letter it was announced that it was decided for the regular Navy ultimately to abolish the rating of engineman and to consolidate the duties of that rating with those of the rating of machinist's mate.

Effective from the date of receipt of the present letter the same general procedure will apply to the Naval Reserve in the following manner:

"(a) Commanding officers are authorized to examine all F-1 and V-1 enginemen for the rating of machinist's mate in their respective classes and, if found qualified, to change their ratings accordingly.

"(b) The new allowance for machinist's mates will be the former combined allowance of enginemen plus machinist's mates. As existing Tables of Organization of Reserve Crews (enlisted men) permit the allowance to be exceeded in both enginemen and machinist's mates, there will be no question of vacancies involved in the present authorized transfer between these two groups.

"(c) No more advancements to engineman second class will be made. Men now holding that rating, if they are not qualified for transfer to the corresponding machinist's mate rating, may be advanced until further orders to engineman first class in accordance with existing instructions.

"(d) Men of classes F-2, F-3 and F-4 holding engineman ratings will continue in their present ratings.

"(e) Of the remaining classes where there may occur men holding engineman ratings, such as classes V-4 and V-6, no action will be taken toward changing their ratings in this regard, as attrition may be relied upon ultimately to clear these classes of engineman ratings."

Planning Maneuver Camps

Ft. Benning (Special)—Plans for the camps which will be conducted by the Academic Department of the Infantry School in connection with the command post and terrain exercises which will conclude the academic year, are now in course of preparation. Col. Harris Pendleton, jr., 29th Inf., has been detailed to command the camps which will be maintained from May 25th to June 4th inclusive. Capt. Raymond P. (Mike) Lavin, 29th Inf., will be supply officer for the camps.

Few Foreign Marines

NEARLY all of the recruits who enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps in 1929 are native born, according to a report of enlistments for the calendar year compiled by Marine Corps headquarters. Of the 5,622 enlistments, only 149, or less than three per cent, are foreign born.

In recent years only native born or fully naturalized citizens have been accepted for an original enlistment in the Marine Corps. As a result, the proportion of native born to those of foreign birth has been increasing steadily.

Navy Transport Sailings

Chaumont—Leave Manila March 10, arrive Guam March 15; leave March 15, arrive Honolulu March 26; leave March 27, arrive San Francisco April 5; leave Mare Island April 11 for the East Coast of the United States on the following itinerary: Arrive San Francisco April 11; leave April 12, arrive San Pedro April 13; leave April 14, arrive San Diego April 15; leave April 16, arrive Corinto April 23; leave April 23, arrive Canal Zone April 23; leave April 27, arrive Port au Prince April 30; leave May 1, arrive Hampton Roads May 3; leave Hampton Roads June 14 for Manila via San Francisco.

Henderson—Leave Mare Island March 13 for the Asiatic Station and return to San Francisco on the following itinerary: Arrive San Francisco March 13; leave March 14, arrive Honolulu March 22; leave March 24, arrive Guam April 6; leave April 7, arrive Manila April 13; leave May 17, arrive Guam May 23; leave May 24, arrive Honolulu June 4; leave June 5, arrive San Francisco June 13. Will leave San Francisco June 28 for Hampton Roads.

Kittery—Arrive San Juan Feb. 17; leave Feb. 19, arrive St. Thomas Feb. 20; leave Feb. 21, arrive Hampton Roads Feb. 26. Will leave Hampton Roads on March 12 for the West Indies on the following itinerary: Arrive St. Thomas March 17; leave March 18, arrive San Juan March 19, arrive Cape Haitien March 21; leave March 22, arrive Port au Prince March 23; leave March 24, arrive Guantanamo March 25; leave March 26, arrive Hampton Roads March 31. Will leave Hampton Roads April 16 on regular trip to West Indies.

Nitro—Leave New York March 12, arrive Hampton Roads March 13; leave March 17, arrive Philadelphia March 18; leave March 22, arrive New York March 23; leave March 28, arrive Newport March 29; leave March 31, arrive Boston April 1; leave April 5, arrive Indian Head April 7; leave April 11, arrive Yorktown April 12; leave April 14, arrive Hampton Roads April 14; leave April 22, arrive Guantanamo April 26; leave April 26, arrive Canal Zone April 29; leave May 1, arrive Corinto May 3; leave May 3, arrive San Diego May 11; leave May 12, arrive San Pedro May 13; leave May 14, arrive Mare Island May 15; leave May 23, arrive Puget Sound May 26; leave June 2, arrive Mare Island June 5.

Ramapo—Due Manila Feb. 19; leave March 5, arrive San Pedro April 1. Will leave San Pedro about April 14 for Asiatic Station.

Sapelo—Arrive Beaumont Feb. 24; leave Feb. 26, arrive Guantanamo March 4.

Sirius—Arrive Mare Island Feb. 16; leave Feb. 19, arrive Puget Sound Feb. 22; leave March 1, arrive Mare Island March 4; leave March 12, arrive San Pedro March 14; leave March 14, arrive San Diego March 15; leave March 17, arrive Corinto March 27; leave March 27, arrive Canal Zone March 30; leave March 31, arrive Guantanamo April 3; leave April 3, arrive Hampton Roads April 8; leave April 15, arrive New York April 16.

Vega—Leave Boston March 7, arrive New York March 8; leave March 14, arrive Philadelphia March 15; leave March 19, arrive Hampton Roads March 20; leave March 28, arrive Guantanamo April 1; leave April 2, arrive Canal Zone April 3; leave April 7, arrive Corinto April 10; leave April 10, arrive San Diego April 19; leave April 22, arrive San Pedro April 23; leave April 24, arrive Mare Island April 25; leave May 3, arrive Puget Sound May 6; leave May 13, arrive Mare Island May 16.

To Report Hospital Bill

REPRESENTATIVE BRITTEN'S bill for the construction of a new naval hospital at Washington, D. C., which has been under consideration for the past month, was ordered reported this week by the House Naval Affairs Committee.

Although no votes were cast against the measure, it is considered likely that at least one amendment will be offered when the bill comes up before the House, with the possibility of a minority report being submitted. Representative McClintie, who was not present at the meeting at which the vote was taken, has made it clear that he is not satisfied with the bill.

Mr. Vinson, ranking Democrat on the Committee whose amendment providing that \$250,000 of the \$3,200,000 authorized for the hospital be taken from the naval hospital fund, was incorporated into the bill, will, with Representative Woodruff, Rep. handle the bill on the floor of the House.

A letter from Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, Director of Veterans Bureau, was read into the record, giving the policy of the Bureau as to the construction of Veterans hospitals. Gen. Hines states that not only has the Bureau always utilized the hospital facilities of the Army, Navy, Public Health Service, Interior Department, and other government agencies, but has also taken this into account in the preparation of its new construction programs in order that duplicity of facilities in a particular state or area might be avoided.

The Director further said that the Federal Board of Hospitalization, whose members are heads of the hospital activities of the Federal Government and whose function it is to coordinate the various branches, takes cognizance of these factors when considering a request of a government agency for an additional hospital.

Public Works Contracts

THE Bureau of Yards and Docks, Navy Department, has recently awarded contracts totaling \$52,564.00 for the construction of the following works:

Automatic stoker, at Naval Research Laboratory, Washington (Bellevue), D. C., to the Brownell Company, Dayton, Ohio, for \$1,875.00.

Quarters at the Naval Radio Station, Arlington, Va., to Thomas F. Jones, Washington, D. C., for \$12,998.00.

Lightning protection at the Navy Mine Depot, Yorktown, Va., awarded to the Greenwood Electrical Co., Philadelphia, Pa., for \$7,489.00.

Power house, at the Naval Radio Compass Sta., Klipsan Beach, Wash., awarded to Bert. Ward, Seattle, Wash., for \$5,240.00.

Reroofing Operator's Quarters, Build. No. 6, at the Naval Radio Compass Station, Farallon Islands, Calif., awarded to C. L. Joubert, San Francisco, Calif., \$1,074.00.

Kitchen and walks, at the Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C., awarded to Nathan Abramson, Washington, D. C., for \$4,488.00.

Cinder road, at Naval Ammunition Depot, St. Julien Creek, Va., awarded to the Brooke Construction Co., Inc., Norfolk, Va., for \$9,400.00.

Dredging, at the Naval Reserve Aviation Base, Squantum, Mass., awarded to the Trimount Dredging Company, Boston, Mass., for \$10,000.00.

Commemorate Naval Victory

Newport (Special)—The 131st anniversary of the baptism of fire of the USS Constellation, the oldest man-of-war in commission, was celebrated at the Naval Training Station here on Feb. 9 with appropriate ceremonies.

The Constellation, Capt. Thomas Truxton commanding, bested the French frigate L'Insurgente on Feb. 9, 1799, in the course of the undeclared war raging between France and the United States at that time.



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National Guard Notes

THE Secretary of War, Col. Patrick J. Hurley, has approved a coat of arms for the 103d Cavalry Regiment, Pa. NG. The shield is gold or yellow for cavalry with a green saltire or "X" cross for Civil War service, gold and green being the regimental colors.

In the center of the shield on the saltire is a gold fleur-de-lis and in the upper angle a red keystone, both to represent World War service in France with the 28th or Keystone Division. The keystone also alludes to "Keystone Battery" organized at Philadelphia in 1861 which served during the Civil War and from which Troop A is descended. In the side angles of the saltire are a Spanish castle for Spanish War service in Porto Rico and a rattlesnake for Mexican Border service in 1916.

The oldest unit in the regiment is "Sunbury Guards" in 1813, which served in both the 11th and 47th Infantry Pennsylvania Volunteers during the Civil War. The next oldest unit is Troop L of Bellefonte, organized in 1858 as the "Bellefonte Fencibles" which served during the Civil War in both the 2nd and 45th Infantry Pennsylvania Volunteers.

Ancestor units of five of the present troops were in the Spanish War. Keystone Battery served at Light Battery A, Pennsylvania Volunteer Artillery, in Porto Rico and the other four in Continental United States. The 1st Cavalry, Pa. NG, was organized from existing units in 1914 and served on the Mexican Border at El Paso, Tex., in 1916.

During the World War the regiment was broken up and the troops distributed among various organizations of the 28th Division, which saw service in seven different sectors. After the World War the regiment was reorganized as 1st Cavalry, Pa. NG., and redesignated 103d Cavalry June 1, 1921.

Santa Fe, N. M. (Special)—Upon recommendation of the adjutant general of New Mexico and pursuant to National Guard regulations, Maj. Frederick R. Lafferty, Cav. (DOL), has been detailed for the survey and inspection of Federal property in the hands of the New Mexico National Guard.

Boston (Special)—The average drill attendance percentage for the entire Massachusetts National Guard in 1929 was 73.9. The 101st FA band scored 98.7, and nine other units scored over 90 per cent.

Hartford (Special)—In line with the policy of the Connecticut military department of encouraging enlisted men's qualification as Reserve Officers, it has been announced that such enlisted men will be given preferential consideration for commissions as second lieutenants in the Connecticut National Guard.

Hartford (Special)—An indoor rifle match for organizations of the Connecticut National Guard will be held from Feb. 23 to March 23. Lt. Col. Robert F. Gadd, OD, Conn. NG, has been named executive officer for the competition.

Annapolis (Special)—Announcement is made from the State Military Department of the rules to govern howitzer company marksmanship, Md. NG. All officers and enlisted men of these companies are qualified to fire. The courses are based on an annual allowance of 200 rounds of both 37 mm. and lighter mortar ammunition for each howitzer company.

Annapolis (Special)—In recognition of his faithful service during and since the World War, 1st Lt. William N. Briscoe, Inf., Md. NG, has been breveted captain.

Lincoln, Neb. (Special)—Capt. Jack L. Meyer, QMC, now on duty at the QMC School, Philadelphia, has been detailed here, effective around July 1, for duty with the Quartermaster Corps, Neb. NG.

Montpelier, Vt. (Special)—Maj. John P. Edgerly, Inf., now at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, has been detailed as instructor, Infantry, Vt. NG, with station here.

Baltimore (Special)—Col. D. John Markey, 1st Inf., Md. NG, has been detailed for duty as a student, National Guard and Reserve Officers' Course, Command and General Staff School, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., March 17-June 16.

There was an attendance of about 100 at a meeting here on Feb. 8, to reorganize the Noncommissioned Of-

Ft. Benning Notes

CONTRACTORS are now preparing bids on the construction projects which will begin at Ft. Benning within the next few weeks. Bids for the paving in the cuartel area of the 29th Infantry Barracks will be opened on Feb. 26, in the office of Lt. W. M. Allison, constructing quartermaster.

Bids for the 41 sets of quarters, which include 15 for noncommissioned officers, 22 for company officers and four for field officers, will be opened on Feb. 28. About 20 firms are preparing estimates on the two jobs.

Lt. Hyden Y. Grubbs, 83d FA, Bn., has been placed on detached service with the Air Corps at Maxwell Field for a period of two weeks.

Officers have been appointed for the temporary organization which will conduct the 1930 Red Cross membership drive at Ft. Benning.

Maj. Frederick C. Phelps, 29th Inf., is in charge and will be assisted by the following: Capt. George O. A. Dougherty, Capt. William M. Chapman, Maj. Thomas F. Taylor, Capt. Albert B. Helsley, Lt. Kenneth F. March, Lt. Charles B. Leinbach, Capt. Eugene L. Brine, Maj. Adolph R. Gilhus, Maj. Charles B. Lyman, and Lt. Bernice M. McFaden.

Capt. Adrian Brian, mounted on Co-hoke, won the weekly jumping contest, making a perfect score over a jump of three feet nine inches. Maj. Paul Peabody, mounted on Malcolm A. and Capt. Everett Yon, mounted on Fassett, tied with perfect scores over three-foot jumps on the first course. In jumping off the tie after the bars were raised, Capt. Yon made a perfect score and won his first horsemanship cup. The contests are under direction of Maj. John B. Thompson.

A five-week program of oral presentation of military monographs by members of the advanced class will be brought to a conclusion on Feb. 10, when Capt. Thomas A. Austin, Jr., will recount the development and operations of the United States air forces during the World War. Preceding Capt. Austin will be Maj. Wilson Spann, whose topic will be the 1st Division in the Third Phase of the Meuse-Argonne; and Maj. Alexander N. Weyand, who will relate his personal experiences at the capture of Hill 310 south of Rembercourt in the Woevre by the 2d Battalion, 34th Inf., Nov. 1, and 2, 1918.

Proposals for a new constitution will be discussed at the next business of the Ft. Benning Dramatic Club on Feb. 13. Among proposals are the appointment of club's officers, the abolition of the officer of director and the transfer of those duties to the president, and the subject of associate memberships.

1st Lt. Charles H. Royce, aide-de-camp to Gen. Campbell King, is on temporary duty at Maxwell Field in connection with Air Corps activities. During Lt. Royce's absence Lt. Thomas J. Moran, 29th Inf., is acting aide to Gen. King.

S-4 Memorial Tablet

COMMEMORATION of the officers and men who lost their lives in the S-4 disaster by a memorial tablet in Memorial Hall at the Naval Academy is provided in a Senate Joint Resolution introduced this week by Senator Robinson of Indiana. An appropriation of \$400.00 is provided in the resolution S. J. Res. 140, which was referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

Officers' Club of the 5th Infantry, Md.

The 110th FA Reds defeated the 104th FA Golds, 25 to 13, at basketball, in the 5th Regiment Armory; the 104th Medical Regiment Whites defeated the 104th Medical Regiment Maroons, 25 to 18; and the 5th Infantry Grays defeated the 5th Infantry Blues, 41 to 20. For the series, the 104th Medical Whites are in the lead, undefeated, with the 5th Infantry Grays in second place.

Boxing championships are scheduled for tonight at the 104th Medical Regiment's Fayette Street Armory here.

Service Battery, 110th FA, Md. NG, Pikesville, leads the regiment in drill attendance for January, with a percentage of 77.24. The 1st is the leading battalion, with 73.57 per cent. Regimental average, 68.85.

NG Non-Coms to School

FORTY-SIX non-commissioned officers of National Guard Infantry organizations arrived at Ft. Benning this week and were registered for a special course of instruction at the Infantry School, which began on Feb. 11, and will continue until June 6. The National Guardsmen are attached to the Infantry School Detachment for quarters and rations and are comfortably billeted in tents, which were in readiness for them.

NG Officers' Class Ends

Ft. Benning (Special)—The National Guard and Reserve field officers' class which began on Jan. 6, with 17 National Guard officers in attendance, closed this week with an address by Brig. Gen. Campbell King, commandant of the Infantry School. Tactics which embraced the disposition of machine guns and howitzers in defense, tanks, the battalion in attack, mechanization, and a marked terrain-exercise problem were comprised in the last of the academic subjects of the schools' program.

The members of the graduating class were Col. Joseph F. Pomeroy, Ariz.; Col. Gordon C. Hollar, Ia.; Lt. Col. William P. Townsend, Minn.; Maj. George N. Browning, Calif.; Stuart A. Baxter, Ohio, Joseph R. Carvolth, Pa., Harry R. Chadwick, Ill., Samuel W. C. Hand, Washington, Lawrence B. Harris, W. Va., Edward C. McK. Johnson, Md., Harry D. Gordon, Va., Allan McCluer, Miss., William V. Coepland, N. C., Billie E. Paul, Ohio, Julian L. Peek, Fla., and Norman L. Thompson, Ind., and Capt. Clarence A. McCall, Mich.

Gen. Ely Visits Ft. Benning

Ft. Benning (Special)—Maj. Gen. Hanson E. Ely, World War commander of the 5th Division, former commandant of the Army War College, and now commander of the 2nd Corps Area, is expected to arrive in Columbus tomorrow evening. He will be met at the Union Station by Brig. Gen. Campbell King, commandant of the Infantry School, Maj. William G. Livesay, who will be acting aide to Gen. Ely during his visit here, and by Sgt. Marcus D. O'Neal, who will act as orderly for the general. Both Maj. Livesay and Sgt. O'Neal served with Gen. Ely during the World War, when Maj. Livesay was operations officer of the 28th Inf., and Sgt. O'Neal was a captain in command of Co. E, 6th Inf.

Escorted by a detachment of city and county motorcycle police, which will be relieved at the boundary of the military reservation by an escort of military police, the party will proceed to Ft. Benning, where Gen. Ely will be a guest at the commandant's quarters. On Feb. 17 the students and other officers of the Infantry School will assemble in the main theater, where Gen. Ely will address them. After luncheon Gen. Ely will witness a demonstration of tanks of the 2d Battalion, 1st Tank Regiment. An address to the faculty of the Infantry School will follow, scheduled for 3 o'clock, in Kriz Hall, and an inspection of the garrison will conclude the official program.

In the evening a dinner will be given for Gen. Ely at the commandant's quarters. Among the guests will be a number of officers who served with Gen. Ely overseas.

Aeronautical Notes

The Navy Department has let a contract with the Curtiss Aeroplane & Motor Company of Garden City, Long Island, N. Y., for nine fighting planes for the use of the Marine Corps. These planes will be known as the F8C-5 and are an adaptation of the Curtiss carrier type F8C-4 planes with the carrier features omitted. The F8C-5s just purchased will be two-seater biplanes equipped with the Pratt & Whitney "Wasp" engine. The contract price for these planes is \$117,562.50.

Veterans Set Smoker Date

New York (Special)—At a meeting of the 78th Division executive committee plans were completed for a Lightning Division veterans' smoker and entertainment to be held in Hoboken on the evening of March 1st, the first to be held by the 78th Division in several years.

John Kennedy, association secretary, with offices at 208 West 19th St., New York, stated that up to date addresses of 10,000 78th Division veterans were available as a result of a campaign carried on for the past six months.

Ft. Lincoln Notes

THE semi-monthly meeting of the Reserve Officer's School was held in the high school at Bismarck on Thursday evening. The subject was a continuation of the Troop Leading problem.

About 340 tons of ice have been cut and stored so far. This is not quite one half of the amount that will be placed in storage for use this summer.

Work on the building of a sun porch on the post hospital commenced on Monday. It is planned to enclose the east porch with glass, making this porch available for use during the winter months.

Two basketball games are being played every Monday and Thursday evening. In the first games of the second round, Company I, 4th Inf., won from Company K, 35 to 15, and Company L won from Company M, 64-8. Then Co. I won from Headquarters Company, 34-18, and L defeated K 50-14. Company L leads the post league—six games won and none lost.

Organized Reserves

Columbus, Ohio (Special)—Lt. Col. William W. Overton, 13th Cav., has been assigned to duty with the 83rd Division, Organized Reserves of the 5th Corps Area, with station here, effective about June 20. He is now on duty at Ft. Riley.

Detroit (Special)—Lt. Leland C. Hurd, AC, has been detailed to additional duty with the 419th Observation Squadron.

Philadelphia (Special)—The 315th Infantry will hold its third annual military ball on March 1st, in the ballroom of the Bellevue Stratford.

El Paso, Tex. (Special)—Maj. Monte J. Hickok, CAC, has been relieved from assignment to the 90th Division, Organized Reserves, here, and will sail about May 1st for the Hawaiian Department.

Philadelphia (Special)—The meeting of the Philadelphia Coast Artillery Club and Conference Center on Feb. 7, was the best attended of the season. The presence of Maj. Stewart S. Giffin, former unit instructor, brought many of his friends to the meeting, which he conducted.

Maj. Giffin spoke on the reorganization of the Coast Artillery Corps, recounting the location and operation of existing harbor defenses, distribution of officers and men, recent development in equipment, etc.


The guest speaker on Feb. 21 will be Maj. R. E. Lee, of G-3 Section, War Department.

Urge NG Franking Privilege

A BILL to extend the franking privilege to commissioned officers of the National Guard of the States was introduced in the House this week by Mr. Patman. The privilege would only be for strictly official military communication and information. The bill, HR 9678, was referred to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

Gas School for 6th Inf.

Jefferson Barracks (Special)—Commencing on March 3, a school for all gas personnel of the 6th Infantry, will be held in the basement of Atkinson Hall. Sessions will be held March 3, 7, 10, 14 and 17 and 21.



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Capt. P. R. Allyn, Med.; Maj. D. Ruins, MCNG; Capt. I. C. Tyndall, Med.; 1st Lt. J. E. Neilon, Dent.; Capt. W. F. Nienstedt, Med.; Capt. C. H. Meyst, Med.; 1st Lt. M. T. Long, Med.; Capt. W. J. Lancaster, Med.; 1st Lt. W. F. Jenkins, Med.; 1st Lt. C. P. Johnson, Dent.; Lt. Col. E. E. W. Given, MS; 1st Lt. L. P. Macklin, Med.; Capt. A. G. Hahn, MC; 1st Lt. E. A. Albers, Med.; 1st Lt. W. S. Blades, Inf.

1st Lt. G. W. Gardner, Inf.; 1st Lt. H. Blasingame, Inf.; 1st Lt. F. Lamb, QMC; Capt. R. C. Leslie, Inf.; 1st Lt. A. F. Hoop, CAC; 2nd Lt. W. T. Johnson, Inf.; Capt. M. P. Gallher, QM; 1st Lt. C. R. George, Inf.; 1st Lt. B. H. Long, Av.; 2nd Lt. G. B. Jurden, Sig.; Capt. J. J. Healy, Inf.; 2nd Lt. O. H. Perry, Av.; Capt. H. T. Morrison, Inf.; 1st Lt. B. S. Mowers, NG; 1st Lt. C. J. Kowalski, Inf.

1st Lt. H. A. Harris, FA; 2nd Lt. R. A. Givivan, Inf.; 2nd Lt. W. E. Gough, QMC; Maj. W. B. Graham, QMC; 2nd Lt. E. I. Esserman, QMC; 2nd Lt. A. M. Drown, Engrs.; Capt. R. Sigmund, Ord.; Capt. J. G. Sheehy, MTC; Capt. W. H. Simpson, Inf.; 2nd Lt. L. J. Servais, Ord.; 1st Lt. H. L. Spencer, Engrs.; Capt. B. L. Smith, Inf.; 1st Lt. C. C. Epling, Inf.; Maj. H. C. Woodward, Inf.; 2nd Lt. L. E. Teutsch, Inf.

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Hold "30th Infantry Day"

Presidio of San Francisco (Special) Regimental Day of the 30th Infantry was fittingly observed on Feb. 3, 1930, the date marking the 29th anniversary of the birth of the regiment. July 15, the anniversary of the second battle of the Marne and of the brilliant participation of the regiment in that great engagement, has been officially designated as Regimental Day, but due to the annual dispersion of the regiment during the summer months it became necessary to set aside another day for the commemoration of the organization and achievements of the regiment. Hence Col. Fred R. Brown, commanding, chose the date of the regiments' birth.

The program for the morning consisted of a regimental field meet which was won by the Headquarters Company with a total of 22 points. The Service Company placed second with 17 points, while companies D and G tied for third place, each having a total of 14 points.

Companies were again assembled after dinner and addresses made by organization commanders and war-time members of the regiment on company and regimental history.

Next came the dedication of the beautiful bronze memorial plaques presented to the organizations of the regiment by Capt. H. N. Gilbert, former adjutant of the 30th, who represented the 30th Infantry Association, donors of the plaques. On these tablets are engraved the names of all officers and men of the 30th Infantry killed in action or decorated for bravery during the World War.

The dedicatory exercises were brief but impressive. The company commanders called the roll and each man whose name is on the roll of honored dead was answered for by having a designated member of his old command step one pace forward out of ranks, salute, and say "Dead on the Field of Honor, sir." It is intended that this tribute to these departed comrades who bequeathed such glorious traditions to the regiment become a part of the program for each succeeding Regimental Day.

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Capt. D. E. Lockhart, NA; Maj. J. J. Raskell, Inf.; 2nd Lt. T. A. Elgin, Inf.; Capt. J. R. Feegel, Inf.; Capt. A. F. Crafts; Maj. W. J. Bruner, QMC; 2nd Lt. H. L. O'Neill, Inf.; 2nd Lt. H. S. Waldo, AS; Chap. (1st Lt.) J. P. Sherry, NA; Capt. D. W. Philo, MC; 1st Lt. W. Schaffer, Engrs.; Capt. T. B. Neal, AS; Capt. C. D. Burns, Inf.; Capt. L. T. Bellmont, Av.; Maj. C. W. Andrews, MC; 1st Lt. L. O. Pindar, MC.

Capt. F. R. Sedgley, Med.; Capt. R. E. Griffin, MC; 1st Lt. H. M. Stephenson, Inf.; 1st Lt. A. W. Seibert, Med.; 1st Lt. P. E. Rogers, Med.; 2nd Lt. C. A. Ritter, Av.; 1st Lt. J. O. Murphy, Med.; 1st Lt. B. C. MacNeil, Med.; 1st Lt. E. E. Owen, Med.; 1st Lt. D. R. Longino, Med.; 1st Lt. R. Leffers, Med.; 1st Lt. W. H. Ordway, Med.; Maj. P. R. Fisher, MC; 2nd Lt. F. R. Henshaw, Jr., Inf.; 1st Lt. H. A. Howell, MC.

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Plan Pentathlon Team

PLANS are rapidly going forward for American participation in the Modern Pentathlon, Xth Olympiad, to be held in Los Angeles in 1932.

Secretary of War Hurley has approved the plan of Maj. Gen. Herbert B. Crosby, chief of Cavalry, for the selection and training of the personnel. The Chief of Cavalry is designated as the War Department representative in all matters relative to the participation of the Army in 1932. Secretary Hurley has expressed the desire of the Secretary of War that every Corps Area commander do all in his power to assist in securing candidates for tryouts for the Pentathlon. If suitable candidates are known to be available a report of them should be made to The Adjutant General in order that an opportunity may be given for training and tryout.

The Adjutant General in a letter on the subject points out that every opportunity will be afforded to tryout qualified pentathlon candidates in the Navy, Marine Corps or R. O. T. C.

The Modern Pentathlon is essentially a military event. European military authorities recognize it as such and are devoting much time to the development of competitors.

The competition consists of:
a. Shooting: 20 shots in 4 series of 5 shots, pistol or revolver, at a silhouette at 25 meters.
b. Swimming 300 meters, free style.
c. Fencing: Sword.
d. Athletic: Cross-country, 4,000 meters.

e. Equestrian sports: 5,000 meters (cross-country), over changing ground with obstacles.

The organization of the U. S. Modern Pentathlon Team follows:

Team Manager.—An officer deeply interested in and one thoroughly conversant with the modern pentathlon. This officer to be responsible for selection of team and general supervision of its training.

The team to be composed of approximately four men from which three are to be selected as the final team.

The personnel of the team to be selected from the best available candidate material.

In the past the Army has been the source of the best qualified and the most available personnel. It is not the intention, however, to limit the 1932 Modern Pentathlon material to any one source. If there are any qualified pentathlon candidates in the Navy, Marine Corps, or R. O. T. C., every opportunity will be afforded them for a tryout. It is expected, however, that such candidates will report for and subject themselves to the same training program hereinafter prescribed for Army candidates.

The selection of candidates for tryout for the U. S. Modern Pentathlon Team should be limited to men who are known to be interested in the event and who possess the requisite qualifications required of a prospective candidate.

What is desired in a candidate is that he possess natural athletic and game sense; that he have a reserve of physical stamina and courage; that he possess at least above average qualifications in all of the various events comprising the pentathlon. A candidate who is superior in some events and below average in others is not nearly so desirable as a candidate who has an above average rating for each event.

The plan adopted for the training of the team is a centralized training plan. It contemplates the assembly at once of the nucleus of the team at Ft. Riley, Kans.

Ft. Riley is selected as the initial assembly point for the team due to the excellent facilities available for instruction in equestrian and animal management. At the Cavalry School the candidates will receive instruction in the fundamentals of equestrian, with particular emphasis on securing a firm seat for cross-country riding, stressing boldness and a proper appreciation of the endurance of the horse. Incident to the instruction in riding the candidate will be placed in excellent physical condition. Splendid facilities also exist at Ft. Riley for pistol and rifle practice and instruction, as well as fencing and cross-country running.

Lack of instruction in riding and insufficient knowledge of gaits and the powers and limitations of horseflesh have been costly to American efforts in past Olympics.

Upon completion of the preliminary training at Ft. Riley the team will assemble at Governors Island, N. Y.

Governors Island is selected on account of the unusual training facilities afforded. Every form of pentathlon training can be had—swim-

Commended For Recruiting

THE Chief of the Bureau of Navigation recently addressed the following letter of commendation to Tobias Veselik, C.Ph.M., USN, Navy Recruiting Station, Providence, R. I., home address, 141 Pearl Street, Providence, R. I.:

"The Bureau is in receipt of a report from the Officer in Charge, Navy Recruiting Station, Providence, R. I., in which he states that due to the unavoidable absence of the medical officer and several men at the Navy Recruiting Station, Providence, R. I., the station was handicapped insofar as obtaining its quota of enlistments for the month of December. In this emergency you not only performed the duties of your own department, but took over the entire clerical work of the office, working late at night and on Sunday, and in so doing made it possible for the station to fulfill its mission and to obtain its quota.

"The Bureau takes pleasure in commending you for your loyalty, devotion to duty, and resourcefulness displayed on this occasion.

"A copy of this letter has been made a part of your official service record in the Bureau of Navigation."

Opposes Bill

REPORT has been made by the Secretary of War on H. R. 6991, a bill regulating the pay of Reserve and National Guard officers when called to active duty.

No recommendation was made, save the statement that the bill was not in accord with the financial program of the President. However, Secretary Hurley stated in his letter, that should Congress desire to enact legislation along this line that he felt that a substituted bill which was inclosed would accomplish the purposes contemplated more advantageously.

ming, fencing, riding, track, and shooting. One of the most difficult events to prepare for is the fencing. Excellent facilities exist for developing and training candidates. New York City is the fencing center of the United States. It is within easy distance of West Point, where excellent coaches in fencing, swimming and track are available.

The scheme for this year and 1930 is not concentrated. It may be said to be preparatory. Training for the several events is rotated. Advantage is taken of the best facilities at the place best suited.

In 1931 the training to be concentrated on all five events simultaneously. May to August, Ft. Riley; September through December, Governors Island, or as recommended by team manager. In December 1931, the elimination tryouts to be held.

There will be a complete cessation of training from final trials through Feb. 28, 1932. During spring 1932 team reports to final training center in California—probably the Presidio of Monterey.

The following have been mentioned in War Department communications as "likely candidates" for the Pentathlon with the following remarks:

1st Lt. Charles J. Barrett, jr., FA, instructor USMA, "an outstanding candidate."

2nd Lt. Richard W. Mayo, FA, Ft. Bragg, "rugged physique, fine competitor."

2nd Lt. Aubrey S. Newman, 31st Inf., Manila, P. I., "exceptionally good runner and swimmer, fair rider and shot."

2nd Lt. Helm G. Wilde, Inf., Brooks Field, "good swimmer, rider and shot."

2nd Lt. Robert F. Travis, FA, recent graduate of USMA, Kelly Field, "likely prospect."

1st Lt. Peter C. Hains, 3d, the Cavalry School member of the 1928 team.
2nd Lt. Clayton J. Mansfield, Cav., Ft. Riley, "best prospect in the class of 1928."

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Division 20—Argonne (tender), V-1, V-3, V-2, San Diego; V-4, Mare Island.

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Division 9—R-1, R-2, R-3, R-4, R-5, R-6, R-7, R-8, R-9, R-10, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

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Rear Adm. T. P. Magruder, Commander. Procyon, San Pedro.

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Division 26—Putnam, Billingsley, Worden, Flusser, Dale, Reid, Philadelphia.

Division 27—Osborne, Lamson, Charles Ausburn, Coghlan, Preston, Bruce, Philadelphia.

Squadron 14—Dobbin (tender), Hopkins, Kingston, Jamaica.

Division 40—Hatfield, Gilmer, Kane, Humphreys, New York Navy Yard; Brooks, Kingston, Jamaica.

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Aircraft Squadrons

Capt. John Halligan, Jr., Commander. Wright, Havana; Teal, Sandpiper, Media Luna Cay, Cuba.

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Division 3—S-10, S-11, S-12, S-13, S-20, Coco Solo, C. Z.

Division 4—S-1, S-18, S-19, S-21, S-22, S-23, S-48, Panama Bay.

Division 12—Bushnell, S-3, S-6, S-7, S-8, S-9, Panama Bay.

Division 18—S-14, S-15, S-17, Panama Bay; S-16, Balboa.

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Graduate Annual Published

THE annual report of the Association of the Graduates of the United States Military Academy, formed, in the language of its constitution, "to cherish memories of the Military Academy," has just been issued. Its form is somewhat modified from previous editions. It is very attractively made up, with profuse illustrations, on glossed paper stock.

ADDRESSES QMC MEETING

Philadelphia (Special)—The seventh of the current season's Quartermaster training conferences was addressed by Maj. H. D. F. Munnikhuyzen, QMC, from the Quartermaster School. He described the organization of an Infantry division. A film on the development of an Infantry Division followed. Besides Reserve Officers and members of the Quartermaster School staff, several National Guard officers were present.



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On Feb. 7:

To be chaplain with the rank of first lieutenant: First Lt. V. R. Stoner, Chap. Res., with rank from Feb. 3.

PROMOTIONS

To be colonel: J. P. Barney, FA, from Feb. 2.

To be lieutenant colonels: H. B. Clagett, AC, from Feb. 1; C. R. Abraham, Inf., from Feb. 2.

To be majors: C. E. Cotter, CAC, from Feb. 1; G. B. Welch, CAC, from Feb. 2; E. B. Edwards, FA, from Feb. 2; T. F. Davis, DC, from Feb. 4.

To be captains: L. L. Cobb, Inf., from Feb. 1; W. H. McKee, Inf., from Feb. 2; G. H. Wilson, Cav., from Feb. 2.

To be first lieutenants: W. F. Kellotat, Inf., from Feb. 1; W. E. Baker, AC, from Feb. 2; R. R. Hendrix, CAC, from Feb. 2.

Ship Standing

STANDING of the highest of the following class of vessels in the United States Navy in engineering for the year to January 1, 1930:

Transport Class:

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THE Chief of the Militia Bureau, Maj. Gen. William G. Everson, recently renewed the special agreement with the railroads for transportation of National Guard troops to and from the training camps. This agreement has been in effect for the past two years and has proved very satisfactory. During the current year the Militia Bureau will effect a savings of at least \$50,000.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1930

"There is need for a pay increase."—SENATOR TASKER L. ODDIE, Member of Joint Pay Committee.

PERHAPS IT IS AS WELL that none of the members of the Military and Naval Committees are serving on the Congressional Pay Commission. Knowing the imperative need of an increase, and a substantial increase at that, in order that officers and men may more nearly meet their living obligations, they will be in a position to assist in bringing out the facts. Moreover, they will be free to endorse or criticize the findings of the Commission as they see fit.

AT THIS TIME, we have no expectation that the recommendations of the Commission will be a subject of criticism. In the first place, Congress by ordering the investigation, and the President by approving it, have announced to the country their conviction that the personnel of the services are underpaid. This conviction is supported by the evidence which was responsible for the creation of the Commission. Obviously, the Commission would not have been authorized unless there were knowledge of the need that exists. So, we are justified in expecting that an increase will be recommended.

IT IS THE AMOUNT of the increase that now concerns us. We hold the recommendations made by the Interdepartmental Pay Board should be adopted. Those recommendations are modest, too modest in some respects in our judgment. But, by and large, they meet the need. In any case, they should not be pared. There are some timid souls who will flinch at the total addition to the expense of the services which the increase will entail. To reassure them, let us point to the numerous endorsements of the Pay Board report by Chambers of Commerce in all sections. These Chambers are made up of sound business men. They knew, when they adopted resolutions, what the increase would mean. They knew also that every dollar practically would return to the channels of trade in the United States. Therefore, the program is the Hoover program of government expenditures in order to boost business.

THE MEMBERS OF THE Commission on the part of the House are taken from the Appropriations Committee, which has had charge of the service appropriation bills. They, too, are familiar with the rate of pay and the allowances that are granted. They know that to keep men of value they must be given a decent living wage. Take men like Messrs. French and Barbour, for example. We have known Mr. French for many years. He is an earnest, fair minded statesman, who has known the difficulty of living on a small salary, and we can be sure not only of his sympathetic consideration but of his support of the convictions which he will reach. This likewise is true of Mr. Barbour, and other members of the Commission, some of whom we do not know save by reputation. By and large, the Commission may be depended upon to be fair in its conclusions.

CONGRESSMAN LA GUARDIA, of New York, in a speech which he made recently, while demanding reduction in military and naval expenses, admitted "we must pay our soldiers properly so that they can live up to standards of living they are expected to," and predicted the report of a bill providing an increase. Mr. La Guardia, who served during the war, directed his attack upon the National Guard and the Reserves. How quickly the lessons of the war are forgotten! Here is a man who at the time of his service realized the cost of inexperience, and now with time dimming his vision, wishes to return to the lack of system, which is responsible for the war burden that he prates about.

RESERVE OFFICERS SHOULD not receive pay for their training camp work annually, argues Mr. La Guardia. National Guardsmen should not be paid for attending drills. The Regular Army conceived the National Defense Act in order to get the political support of the National Guardsmen and the Reserves! If Mr. La Guardia will refresh his mind, he will find that the National Defense Act was founded on the principles of Washington and is the result of the great work of an officer who will stand out in our annals with Washington and Grant—Pershing. The National Guard and the Reserves are the fine institutions they are in part because of the very provisions of that Act which Mr. La Guardia criticizes.

CONGRESSMAN JAMES and his Military Committee will demonstrate how wrong Mr. La Guardia is. That Committee intends to revise the National Defense Act. It will hold hearings on every provision which is under criticism. Upon the testimony taken, the Committee will report alterations. I believe it will so develop the law that it will more nearly meet the requirements of the Nation. Involved in this matter will be the question, doubtless, of a Department of National Defense. Mr. James is in favor of such a Department, believing that under its administration duplication of expenditures by the services will be eliminated and conflict of authority between them will be prevented. Several years ago there was considerable public sentiment for such a Department, today it is not a burning issue.

PREMIER MACDONALD has announced that later on international conference will be held to consider limitation of land armaments. He has come to realize that such a task cannot be discharged in conjunction with sea disarmament. The continental powers which all along have held this view, therefore, have won. The United States can face such a conference without a qualm. Our Regular Army is below that of any other nation save Germany, and so are our National Guard and Reserves. Consequently, there will be no necessity for a cut. There are persistent rumors that the General Staff survey suggests in the event that there must be a reduction in military expenses, the number of commissioned officers be curtailed. Another lesson of war scrapped; for, if the experience of the greatest struggle of mankind shows anything it is the overwhelming value of trained men to impart their knowledge to neophytes. Lack of trained officers has caused a shuddering waste of blood and money; don't let us suffer in that way again.

Service Humor

Dirt in That Crack

Judge: "Why did you hit the dry goods clerk?"

Prisoner: "Well, your Honor, I asked him to show me something suitable in neckwear for myself and he looked at my neck and then handed me a wash-rag!"—Leatherneck.

Good Men and True

Down in Arkansas a man was tried for assault and battery with intent to kill. The State produced as evidence the weapons used, a rail, a gun, saw, and rifle. The defendant's counsel exhibited as the other man's weapons a scythe blade, pitchfork, pistol, dog, razor, and hoe.

After being out several hours the jury gave this verdict: "We, the jury, would have given a dollar to see the fight."—Contributed.

Well, Pups

Knight of the Road: "Say, boy, your dog bit me on the ankle."

Boy: "Well, that's as high as he could reach. You wouldn't expect a little pup like that to bite you on the neck, would you?"

Amount of Difference.

QMC—How come I saw you on Maj. Mignlib's mount this morning? Didn't you realize that wasn't your hoss?

Cav.—Yeh, but I wasn't myself this morning.

Yer Dern Shootin'.

Orderly—Grapefruit juicy, sir?

Officer—Unless my eyes deceive me.

Tough Shibbleth, That.

Officer—Again, eh? Don't you realize when you've reached your capacity? After you've had so much whiskey you should order some soft drink, like sasaparilla.

Gob—I tried that, Lt., but when I'd drunk tha' mush I couldn' (hic) shay shashprerra.

Detachment Feared.

Emma—Why don't you marry that nice young DEML?

Ina—I'd be so lonesome without him.

Low Finance

Pvt. Kpwelt was in luck. He picked up two bits.

"Just a minute," said Pvt. Drichle.

"That's my half buck."

"Well," sighed Kpwelt, "here you are; but I gotta owe you a quarter."

No Chivalry.

"So that ex-Marine you married is brutal to you?"

"He certainly is. Why this morning he knocked the rolling-pin right out of my hand."

Misery in Company.

Staff—A lot of women will be made miserable when I marry.

Line—What are you, a Mormon?

Or a Pretzel Bender.

Soldat Hibernique—Maj. oi'm in bad shape, and oi wonder could yez put me back on me feet.

Medical Officer—Put your back on your feet? H'm, better see a chiropractor.

"Our Partner's Rapt."

P. M. S. & T.—Is your room-mate studying as usual.

ROTC—Yes, sir.

P. M. S. & T.—Then wake him up, will you?

"And Await Orders."

Lt.—Do you act quickly in a traffic jam?

Comdr.—No, my wife stutters.

I Have Not Yet Begun

to write, says you; but why not jot down that nifty and electrify the service by mailing it to the Humor Editor?

WHEN YOU ARE TRANSFERRED

ASK the Journal about living conditions, etc., at the Post to which you have been directed to proceed. Questions will be answered as soon as possible either in this column or by letters. Address Post Editor.

C. D.—Bolling Field, D. C., is near Anacostia and Washington, D. C. Taxi service is available at the field. A private car is a necessity in commuting from the post to town. Children of the post attend schools in Anacostia, D. C. Colored servants are easily procured and southeastern markets are available for shopping. A commissary is maintained at Washington Barracks for the accommodation of personnel assigned to this command. Quarters on the field are not sufficient to accommodate assigned and visiting officers. Apartments and hotels can be procured in the city of Washington. Roads in the vicinity of the post are nearly all paved and can be used the year round. Tennis and golf are the chief sports. Army, Navy and Marine Corps country club within short driving distance. The climate is cold in the winter and warm in the summer. Wool is worn in winter and cotton in summer. Bolling Field is garrisoned by the AC, QMC, Med Co., Sig. C. and the Ord. Dept. There is no post chaplain assigned, but churches of all denominations are found in Washington.

ASK THE JOURNAL

ALL questions on which our readers desire information will be answered as soon as possible after receipt. If there is any query you have in mind, send it to the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL QUESTION EDITOR. It will save you time and trouble. Avail yourselves of this "Service to the Services."

D. F. R.—Professors at the United States Military Academy are addressed as "Colonel," except by the Cadets, who address them as "Professor."

W. T. L.—The concentration barracks of the Air Service, AEF, was located at St. Maixent.

IN THE JOURNAL 60 YEARS AGO

An order has been issued by the Adjutant General's office carrying out the recent act of Congress to the effect that no retired officer of the Army may be assigned to active duty of any kind, that a retired officer may receive more than his retired pay, and that all retired officers now on active duty shall terminate such duty within sixty days.

The USS Yantic, now fitting out at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, has been designated to survey certain sectors in the West Indies, running a line of soundings for laying a submarine cable from Aspinwall to some point in Cuba.

In answer to the resolution passed by the House of Representatives requesting to be informed "under what act of Congress or by other authority appropriations for the Navy are diverted to the survey of the Isthmus of Darien," the President has transmitted a report by the Secretary of the Navy, to whom the resolution was referred, that "No appropriations for the Navy have been diverted to the survey of the Isthmus of Darien. The act of Congress approved July 28, 1866 appropriated forty thousand dollars for the purpose of surveying the Isthmus of Darien with a view to the construction of a ship canal."

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Marine CorpsCoast Guard
Naval Reserves

- OFFICIAL ORDERS -

War Dept.
Corps AreasNational Guard
Officers' Reserve Corps

ARMY ORDERS

GENERAL OFFICERS

Maj. Gen. J. L. DeWitt, the QMG, is detailed as member of board of officers appointed by par. 2, S. O., 274, W. D., 1929, to make a complete study of housing of W. D. activities in Washington, D. C., vice Col. B. F. Cheatham, QMC, relieved. (Feb. 7.)

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S DEPT.
MAJ. GEN. E. A. KREGER, THE JAG.
Lt. Col. G. L. McKeeby from duties in Hawaiian Dept., on departure from Honolulu on transport to N. Y. C., via Panama Canal and report by telegraph to AG for further orders. (Feb. 10.)

QUARTERMASTER CORPS
MAJ. GEN. J. L. DEWITT, THE QMG.
Capt. E. J. Riordan to Governors Is., N. Y., to Army retiring board for examination. (Feb. 8.)

Capt. F. Barr, on own application retired from active service, Mar. 5. (Feb. 11.)

Capt. T. F. Crahan, Kelly Fld., Tex., for convenience of Government to home and await retirement. (Feb. 11.)

Capt. A. Vollmer from detail in QMC, from duty with 1st Cav. Div. Trains, Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., for duty as asst. librarian. (Feb. 11.)

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. W. W. IRELAND, THE SG.

Medical Corps

Order amended to read Col. R. M. Blanchard detailed as instr., MC, NG, 4th C. A. (Feb. 7.)

Maj. R. W. Whittier from duties with Governor of Panama Canal, to commanding general Panama Canal Dept., Quarry Hgts., C. Z., for assignment to duty until completing foreign service tour. (Feb. 7.)

Capt. D. Longfellow from duties in Panama Canal Dept., to Governor of Panama Canal, Balboa Hgts., C. Z., for assignment to duty until completing foreign service tour. (Feb. 7.)

Maj. J. B. Owen to duty at Ft. Riley, Kans., on completing pres. tour of foreign service. (Feb. 8.)

Veterinary Corps

Capt. T. A. Breen for convenience of Government to home and await retirement. (Feb. 8.)

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

MAJ. GEN. LYTLE BROWN, C OF E.
1st Lt. E. H. Coe detailed at Univ. of Kans., Lawrence, Kans., on completing pres. tour of foreign service. (Feb. 10.)

CHEMICAL WARFARE SERVICE

MAJ. GEN. H. L. GILCHRIST, C OF CWS
Maj. A. St. John from duty with Co. C, 1st Gas Regt., from addl. duty as instr. Inf., Ft. Benning, Ga., to duty at Inf. Sch., as instr. (Feb. 11.)

CHAPLAINS

CHAP. J. E. YATES, C OF C.
Capt. H. L. Winter, now at Walter Reed Gen. Hosp., AMC, Wash., D. C., to president of Army retiring board for examination. (Feb. 8.)

Order amended to read Chap. W. H. Watts to duty at Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif. (Feb. 10.)

Capt. G. R. Longbrake from duty at Ft. Crockett, Tex., assigned to duty at Ft. Lewis, Wash. (Feb. 10.)

CAVALRY

MAJ. GEN. H. B. CROSBY, C OF CAV.
Lt. Col. W. W. Overton from duty with 13th Cav., Ft. Riley, Kans., June 20, detailed for duty with 8th C. A., 83d Div., Columbus, O. (Feb. 7.)

Capt. J. M. Shelton from duty with 3d Cav., Ft. Myer, Va., July 1, detailed for duty as instr., Cav., Pa. NG, Sunbury, Pa. (Feb. 7.)

Lt. Col. E. M. Harris from duty in connection with ROTC affairs, Ft. Hayes, O., June 30, to Jacksonville, Fla., for duty with recruiting. (Feb. 11.)

2nd Lt. D. G. Ludlam detailed in OD, June 25, from duty with 8th Cav., Ft. Bliss, Tex., thence to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., for duty. (Feb. 11.)

FIELD ARTILLERY

LT. COL. WM. BRYDEN, ACTING C OF FA.

Maj. M. G. Randol from duty with 3d FA, Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind., detailed as member of GSC, assigned to duty with GS with troops, to commanding gen., 7th C. A., Mar. 1. (Feb. 10.)

1st Lt. S. R. Hart, from duty with 83d FA, Ft. Benning, Ga., detailed at VMI, Lexington, Va., for duty. (Feb. 11.)

2nd Lt. J. D. Billingsley, detailed in OD, June 25, from duty with 82d FA, Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., for duty. (Feb. 11.)

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

MAJ. GEN. ANDREW HERO, JR., C OF CA.

Maj. M. J. Hickok from detail with OR, 8th C. A., from duty with 90th Div., El Paso, Tex., to S. F., Calif., and sail May 1 for Hawaiian Dept. for duty with CAC. (Feb. 10.)

2nd Lt. A. Samuels, Jr., from duty with 6th CA, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., to S. F., Calif., and sail for Hawaiian Dept. for duty with CAC. (Feb. 10.)

2nd Lt. W. H. Francis from duty with 61st CA, on departure of that regt. for Camp Knox, Ky., then assigned to 12th CA, from assignment to 12th CA, Ft. Monroe, Va., thence to N. Y. C., May 23 and sail for the Hawaiian Dept. for duty with CAC. (Feb. 10.)

Capt. J. D. Brown from duty with 13th CA, Ft. Barrancas, Fla., to N. Y. C. and sail May 28 for Hawaii for duty. (Feb. 10.)

Capt. A. L. ... from duty with 9th CA, Ft. Banks, Mass., to N. Y. C.,

Status of Promotion in Service

NAVY PROMOTION STATUS

Feb. 15

Rear Adm. O. G. Murfin, Capt. L. Noyes, Comdr. H. M. Branham, Lt. Comdr. S. L. Almon, Lt. R. L. Johnson, Lt. (jg) E. F. Vort.

Medical Corps

Rear Adm. N. J. Blackwood, Capt. J. A. Biello, Comdr. G. W. Calver, Lt. Comdr. J. B. Logue, Lt. C. M. Dumbauld.

Dental Corps

Comdr. E. E. Harris, Lt. Comdr. R. H. Fladeland, Lt. J. M. Thompson, jr.

Supply Corps

Rear Adm. T. H. Hicks, Capt. F. E. McMillen, Comdr. F. C. Bowerfield, Lt. Comdr. A. Rembert, Lt. E. T. Stewart, Jr.; Lt. (jg) Murray W. Clark.

Chaplain Corps

Capt. E. A. Duff, Comdr. T. L. Kirkpatrick, Lt. Comdr. J. M. Hester, Lt. F. G. Hangan, Lt. (jg) Act. Chap. L. C. Pritchett.

Construction Corps

Rear Adm. G. H. Rock, Capt. L. S. Border, Comdr. F. G. Crisp, Lt. Comdr. T. P. Wynkoop, Lt. H. R. Williams.

Civil Engineer Corps

Rear Adm. F. T. Chambers, Capt. C. D. Thurber, Comdr. G. Church, Lt. Comdr. H. S. Bear, Lt. B. F. Fink.

USMC PROMOTION STATUS

Feb. 14, 1930

Last commissioned. Will make number in grade indicated on next vacancy.

Col. F. Halford 1st Lt. St. J. R. Marshall
Lt. Col. T. D. Barber Capt. M. J. Bacheider
Maj. C. A. Wynn Maj. G. D. Miller
Col. F. Halford 1st Lt. T. H. Saunders,
Lt. Col. T. D. Barber Capt. G. E. Monson

CORPS AREA

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SEVENTH CORPS AREA
Headquarters, Omaha, Nebraska
MAJ. GEN. JOHNSON HAGOOD
Col. Laurence Halstead, Ch. of Staff

Each of the following named officers are assigned to duty as indicated, in addition to their present duties:

Col. G. F. Ball, QMC, to 102nd Div.;
Col. J. M. True, QMC, to 66th Cav. Div.;
Capt. J. J. France, FA, to 339th FA;
Capt. E. A. Hyde, FA, 381st FA.
Leaves—One month and twenty days effective on or about July 10, 1930, granted to 1st Lt. I. Davies, AC.

and sail June 12 for Canal Zone for duty. (Feb. 10.)

Following from duty indicated, to S. F., Calif., and sail May 29 for P. I., for duty:

Lt. Col. J. A. Mack, 3d CA, Ft. Rosecrans, Calif.; Capt. M. E. Conable, 3d CA, Ft. McArthur, Calif. (Feb. 10.)

Following from duty indicated to N. Y. C. and sail May 7 for P. I., for duty:

Capt. E. W. Miller, 8th CA, Ft. Preble, Me.; 1st Lt. C. O. Gunn, A. J. Wick, 52d CA, Ft. Eustis, Va.; 2nd Lt. E. F. Heidland, 51st CA, Ft. Eustis, Va.; W. F. Steer, 13th CA, Ft. Barrancas, Fla. (Feb. 10.)

Capt. A. J. Bennet from duty with 10th CA, Ft. Adams, R. I., assigned to 7th CA, Ft. Hancock, N. J., for duty. (Feb. 10.)

INFANTRY

MAJ. GEN. S. O. FUQUA, C OF INF.
Order amended to read Capt. O. S. Rolfe to duty as Inf. Instr., Wisc. NG, Madison, Wisc. (Feb. 7.)

Lt. Col. C. S. Bendel for convenience of Government to home and await retirement. (Feb. 10.)

Maj. C. H. Hodges, 38th Inf., designated capt. of the inf. rifle team for 1930. (Feb. 10.)

Maj. J. P. Edgerly from duty with 11th Inf., Ft. Banj. Harrison, Ind., detailed for duty as instr., Inf., Vt. NG, Montpelier, Vt. (Feb. 10.)

Maj. R. E. Jones from duty at Hdqrs., 8th CA, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to N. Y. C. and report to Supt. ATS, 1st Ave. & 59th St., Bklyn., N. Y., for duty as commanding offr., USAT St. Mihiel for voyage beginning Apr. 18. (Feb. 10.)

Lt. Col. C. P. Titus to Ft. McPherson, Ga., and report to president of Army retiring board for examination. (Feb. 11.)

Following to duty indicated on completing pres. tour of foreign service:

Maj. I. H. Engleman, 24th Inf., Ft. Benning, Ga.; Capt. T. B. Burgess, 34th Inf., Ft. Eustis, Va.; R. Hilsman, 24th Inf., Ft. Benning, Ga.; M. J. McGuire, W. F. O'Donoghue, 5th Inf., Ft. Williams, Me.; 2nd Lt. K. C. Strother, 12th Inf., Ft. Howard, Md. (Feb. 11.)

Following to duty indicated on completing pres. tour of foreign service:

2nd Lt. J. Regan, Jr., 12th Inf., Ft. Washington, Md.; 1st Lt. W. A. Bigby, Tank School, Ft. G. G. Meade, Md.; 1st Lt. J. L. Carman, Tank Sch. Ft. G. G. Meade, Md.; 1st Lt. F. J. Lawrence, Inf., 2d Div., Ft. F. E. Warren, Wyo.; 2nd Lt. W. H. Honnold, 38th Inf., Ft. Douglas, Utah; 1st Lt. A. J. Regnier, 7th Inf.,

ARMY PROMOTION STATUS

Promotions and Vacancies on the Promotion List (Cumulative) Since Feb. 7, 1930

Last promotion to the grade of colonel

—Frederick G. Turner, Cav., No. 7, Page 156, Jan. 1930, A. L. & D. Last nomination—William C. Gardenshire, QMC. Vacancies—None. Senior lieutenant colonel—Joseph C. Kay, QMC.

Last promotion to the grade of lieutenant colonel—Ralph McT. Pennell, FA, No. 53, Page 159. Last nomination—Pierre V. Kieffer, FA (George G. Bartlett, Inf., ret.). Vacancies—None. Senior major—George H. Paine, FA.

Last promotion to the grade of major—Sam G. Fuller, Cav., No. 2315, Page 164. Last nomination—Merritt E. Olmstead, Inf. Vacancies—None. Senior Captain—Benjamin F. Caffey, jr., Inf.

Last promotion to the grade of captain—Wilford R. Mobley, Cav., No. 5681, Page 176. Last nomination—Edwin M. Burnett, Cav. (Francis X. Oberst, Inf., ret.). Vacancies—1. Officers entitled—Royal L. Gervais, FA. Senior first lieutenant if vacancy were filled—Harold M. Readall, Ord.

Last promotion to the grade of first lieutenant—Ovid O. Wilson, Inf., No. 8441, Page 186. Last nomination—Walker W. Holler, CAC. Vacancies—8. Officers entitled—Daniel J. Martin, Inf.; Malin Craig, jr., FA; Forrest J. French, CAC. Senior second lieutenant if vacancies were filled—Samuel H. Morrow, CAC.

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Appointments

C. B. Blethen, II, 2nd Lt. 146th FA, Jan. 6; A. J. Davis, 2nd Lt. 161st Inf., Jan. 21.

Promotions

2nd Lt. H. Gibbons, Serv. Co., 161st Inf. to 1st Lt., 161st Inf., Jan. 2; 2nd Lt. K. Wampler, Btry. B, 146th FA, to 1st Lt. 146th FA, Jan. 2; 2nd Lt. I. W. Meyer, Btry. A, 146th FA, to 1st Lt. 146th FA, Jan. 2; 2nd Lt. N. R. Benoit, Hdqrs. Btry. and CT 2nd Bn. 148th FA, to 1st Lt. 148th FA, Jan. 14; 2nd Lt. M. Loomis, Btry. A, 248th CA (HD) to 1st Lt. 248th CA (HD), Jan. 21.

Transfers

Capt. V. L. Anderson, 146th FA, from Btry. A to Hdqrs. 1st Bn. (Adjutant), Jan. 1; Capt. H. L. Phillips, 146th FA, from Hdqrs. 1st Bn. (Adjutant) to Btry. A, Jan. 1; 1st Lt. C. D. Hubbard, 146th FA, from Btry. C to Regtl. Hdqrs. (Liaison Officer), Jan. 1.

Vancouver Bks., Wash.; 2nd Lt. R. G. Thomas, Jr., 18th Inf., Ft. Slocum, N. Y.; Capt. F. Burr, 2d Inf., Ft. Brady, Mich.; G. C. McKinley, Jr., H. N. Merrill, A. K. Robinson, O. E. G. Trechter, 24th Inf., Ft. Benning, Ga.; 1st Lt. H. J. Boettcher, 5th Inf., Ft. Williams, Me.; 2nd Lt. H. C. Burgess, 24th Inf.; Ft. Benning, Ga.; W. W. Lloyd, 17th Inf., Ft. Crook, Nebr.; L. B. Rutte, 2d Inf., Ft. Brady, Mich. (Feb. 11.)

Following to duty at Signal Sch., Ft. Monmouth, N. J., on completing pres. tour of foreign service, will join that station and report to comdt. Signal Sch., for duty until opening of school:

2nd Lt. N. K. Elward, 2nd Lt. C. W. Van Way, Jr. (Feb. 11.)

2nd Lt. R. Blair from duty with 18th Inf., Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., to N. Y. C. and sail June 12 for Panama Canal Dept., for duty. (Feb. 11.)

2nd Lt. W. J. Phelan from duty with 28th Inf., Ft. Ontario, N. Y., to N. Y. C. and sail May 7 for Philippine Dept. for duty. (Feb. 11.)

2nd Lt. R. W. Zwicker from duty with 3d Inf., Ft. Snelling, Minn., to S. F., Calif., and sail June 19 for Hawaiian Dept. for duty. (Feb. 11.)

1st Lt. Z. I. Adair from detail with OR, 6th CA, from assignment to 85th Div., Lansing, Mich., to N. Y. C., and sail May 7 for Philippine Dept. for duty. (Feb. 11.)

Capt. L. H. Sims, from duty at Pacific Branch, USDB, Alcatraz, Calif., to S. F., Calif., and sail May 29 for Manila, P. I., for assignment to duty with Inf., Tientsin, China. (Feb. 11.)

Following from duty indicated to S. F., Calif., and sail May 1 for Hawaiian Dept.: Capt. J. R. Fountain, 30th Inf., Pres. of S. F., Calif.; R. Wilkins, 1st Inf., Ft. F. E. Warren, Wyo.; 1st Lt. R. B. Kinley, 30th Inf., Pres. of S. F., Calif.; H. R. Perry, Jr., 23d Inf., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; 2nd Lt. E. C. Bergquist, 4th Inf., Ft. Lincoln, N. Dak. (Feb. 11.)

Following from duty indicated to N. Y. C. and sail May 28 for Hawaiian Dept., for assignment to duty:

Howard, Md.; H. D. Gibson 1st Brig., Ft. Wadsworth, N. Y.; W. O. Poinexter, (Please turn to Next Page)

NAVY ORDERS

Feb. 6.

Lt. Comdr. L. Wood, det. aide on staff, Flt. Base Force about May 1; to Nav. Proving Ground, Dahlgren, Va.

Lt. J. F. W. Gray, det. aide and flag lieutenant on staff, Flt. Base Force about May 1; to 4th Nav. Dist., Phila., Pa.

Lt. J. P. Piotrowski, det. Navy Yard, Phila., Pa. about Feb. 1; to USS Neches.

Ens. L. L. Black, det. USS New Mexico about March 23; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Ens. W. F. Royall, det. USS Wyoming about April 1; to USS Niagara.

Lt. Comdr. P. W. Dreifus (MC), det. Garde de Haiti Port au Prince, Haiti; to Rec. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Lt. W. S. Bunkley (MC), det. Public Health Service of Haiti about May 1; to Rec. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Lt. A. J. Marshall (SC), ors. Nov. 11 further modified. Det. Rec. Ship, San Francisco to USS Maryland.

Capt. H. M. T. Pearce (CHC), det. USS Altair about April 15; to duty as Flt. Chaplain, Setg. Flt.

Ch. Mach. M. Bayer, det. USS Oklahoma about May 20; to Rec. Sta., Phila., Pa.

Ch. Mach. E. I. Dailey, det. USS Aroostook about Feb. 14; to Navy Yard, Mare Island, Calif.

Ch. Mach. F. L. Elkins, det. USS Arkansas about May 20; to Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

Ch. Mach. R. G. Shively, det. USS Mississippi about June 10; to USS Rigol.

Pay Clk. E. W. Bolton, det. USS Pennsylvania; to Navy Yard, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Orders from the Asiatic Station.

Lt. C. F. House, (SC), Feb. 5, det. Nav. Sta., Olongapo to U. S.

Lt. L. C. Fuller (SC), Jan. 15, det. USS Black Hawk to U. S.

Lt. Comdr. H. C. Shaw (SC), Jan. 14, det. Yangtze Patrol, China; to U. S.

Lt. (jg) T. G. Reamy, Jan. 4, det. Asst. to Comdr., Subm. Divs., Asiatic Flt.; to USS Canopus.

Lt. Comdr. G. B. Wilson, Jan. 10, det. Sqd. Engineer, Dest. Sqds., Asiatic Flt.; to U. S.

Lt. H. G. Hopwood, det. Rec. Ship, San Francisco, about Feb. 12; to 4th Nav. Dist., Phila., Pa.

Lt. E. H. Kincaid, det. USS Chaumont; to USS California.

Lt. C. Lovelace, det. USS Arkansas about May 15; to USS Lexington.

Lt. J. G. Winn, det. Asst. Dist. Commun. Officer, 1st Nav. Dist., about May 1; to USS Texas.

Lt. (jg) S. G. Fuqua, det. USS Mississippi about Feb. 1; to Off. in Chg., Navy Rctg. Sta., Little Rock, Ark.

Lt. (jg) F. W. Slaven, det. USS Chaumont about May 5; to Naval Academy.

Ens. J. T. White, det. USS Wyoming about March 23; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Ens. J. S. Young, det. USS Arkansas about March 23; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Rear Adm. M. D. McCormick (MC), relieved from all active duty about March 27; to home.

Capt. C. N. Fiske (MC), relieved from all active duty about May 5; to home.

Lt. Comdr. H. W. B. Turner (MC), det. Navy Rctg. Sta., Birmingham, Alabama, about Feb. 15; to Nav. Hosp., Wash., D. C.

Lt. D. A. York (MC), det. Marine Rctg. Sta., New Orleans, La., about Feb. 10; to Navy Rctg. Sta., Birmingham, Ala.

Ch. Bosn. F. Kidston, relieved from all active duty about Feb. 10; to home.

Bosn. C. Cuthbert, det. USS Mallard about Feb. 20 to USS Memphis.

Ch. Mach. M. B. Cartmell, det. USS Rochester about May 20; to Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

Lt. W. Cox, from Nav. Sta., Cavite to U. S.; Lt. M. MacDonald, from Ammun. Depot, Cavite to U. S.; Lt. H. G. Hopwood, from USS Hart to U. S.; Lt. R. C. Moureaux, from USS Mindanao to U. S.; Lt. (jg) W. E. Verge, from USS S-32 to U. S.; Lt. (jg) P. H. Fitzgerald, from USS S-38 to U. S.; Lt. (jg) Herman Sall, from USS S-35 to U. S.

Lt. Comdr. (MC), H. C. Weber, from 4th Regiment, US Marines to U. S.; Lt. (MC) W. B. James, from USS Oahu to U. S.; Lt. (MC) A. H. Pierson, from Nav. Hosp., Canacao, to U. S.; Lt. (MC) E. J. Brady, from Nav. Sta., Olongapo, to U. S.; Lt. (jg) MC, H. O. G. Wagner, from USS Helena to U. S.; Lt. (jg) MC, A. T. Walker, from USS Tutuila to U. S.; Lt. Comdr. (SC), H. C. Sewell, from USS Canopus to U. S.; Lt. (SC), J. E. Bolt, from USS Beaver to U. S.; Ens. (SC) F. W. Hesser, from USS Palos to U. S.; Ch. Rad. El. J. J. Alexander, from Nav. Rad. Sta., Cavite to U. S.; Pay Clk. A. D. Guthrie, from USS Canopus to U. S.; Lt. B. H. Colyear, from Asst. to Comdr., Subm. Divs., Asiatic

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28th Inf., Ft. Niagara, N. Y.; 1st Lt. M. C. Shattuck, 21st Tank Co., Ft. G. G. Meade, Md.; 2nd Lt. W. J. Baird, 34th Inf., Ft. Eustis, Va.; G. S. Meloy, Jr., 12th Inf., Ft. Washington, Md. (Feb. 11.)
Following from duty indicated to S. F. Calif., and sail May 29 for Philippine Dept.

Capt. H. Adamson, 6th Brig., Ft. Rosecrans, Calif.; J. R. DeVail, 6th Inf., Jefferson Bks., Mo.; A. L. Morris, 38th Inf., Ft. Douglas, Utah; 2nd Lt. H. W. Halterman, 6th Inf., Jefferson Bks., Mo. (Feb. 11.)

Order relieving Maj. d'A. Fechet from duty as stud., AWC, and details him as member of GSC, and assigns him to WDGS, revoked. (Feb. 11.)

Maj. d'A. Fechet from duty as stud., AWC, assigned to AWC, Wash., D. C., for duty, on return to Wash. from Army and Navy Gen. Hosp. (Feb. 11.)

1st Lt. D. S. McLean from duty with 20th Inf., Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo., assigned to duty at Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to S. F. Calif., and sail Mar. 1 for N. Y. C., thence to Ft. Monmouth and report to comdt. Signal Sch., for assignment to duty until opening of school. (Feb. 11.)

AIR CORPS

MAJ. GEN. J. E. FECHET, C. OF AC.

1st Lt. L. C. Hurd, detailed for duty with OR, 6th C. A., assigned to 419th Obs. Sq., Detroit, in add. to other duties, May 7. (Feb. 8.)

2nd Lt. P. H. Draper, Jr., (FA) from detail in AC, from pres. duties at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., assigned to 83d FA, to Ft. Benning, Ga., for duty. (Feb. 11.)

Following from duty as stud. at AC Adv. Flying Sch., Kelly Fld., Tex., Feb. 28, to station indicated and report for duty:

1st Lts. O. L. Beal (Inf.) Ft. Crockett, Tex.; R. E. Nugent (Inf.) Langley Fld., Hampton, Va.; 2nd Lts. K. G. E. Gimler (FA) Ft. Crockett, Tex.; L. W. Johnson (Inf.) Mitchell Fld., L. I., N. Y.; M. W. Kaye, Chanute Fld., Rantoul, Ill.; J. W. Kirby (Inf.) Selfridge Fld., Mt. Clemens, Mich.; T. H. Landon (CAC) Ft. Crockett, Tex.; J. H. McCormick (SC), Langley Fld., Hampton, Va.; E. O'Donnell, Jr. (Inf.), Selfridge Fld., Mt. Clemens, Mich.; D. B. Smith (Inf.), Rockwell Fld., Coronado, Calif.; J. M. Sterling (FA), Selfridge Fld., Mt. Clemens, Mich.; C. B. Stone, III (Inf.), Rockwell Fld., Coronado, Calif.; D. W. Titus (Inf.), Maxwell Fld., Montgomery, Ala. (Feb. 11.)

2nd Lt. M. C. Bisson (Inf.) from duty as stud. at AC Adv. Flying Sch., Kelly Fld., Tex., Feb. 28, to duty at Kelly Fld. (Feb. 11.)

The appointment and assignment of the following 2nd Lts., AC, Regular Army, with rank from Jan. 6, from officers of the AC-Res. announced:

E. T. MacArthur, Jr., to Ft. Crockett, Tex.; N. B. Olsen, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; C. E. LeMay, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; K. K. Crosher, to Ft. Crockett, Tex.; L. E. Massie, to Marshall Fld., Kans.; S. P. Wright, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; W. C. Doan, to Marshall Fld., Kans.; I. L. Farman, to Rockwell Fld., Calif.; W. A. Schulgen, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; D. B. White, to Ft. Crockett, Tex.; D. H. Baxter, to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.; L. A. Vaupre, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; A. L. Beatie, to Ft. Crockett, Tex.; S. O. Redetzke, to Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; R. T. Wright, to Marshall Fld., Calif.; E. L. Anderson, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; E. W. Anderson, to Rockwell Fld., Calif.; J. C. Covington, to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.; W. C. Morse, to Rockwell Fld., Calif.; C. P. West, to Langley Fld., Va.; W. L. Kennedy, to Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; C. F. Pugh, to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.; J. A. Auton, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; H. W. Howze, to Ft. Crockett, Tex.; J. P. Ryan, to Langley Fld., Va.; A. W. Shepherd, to Maxwell Fld., Ala.; R. S. Macrum, to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.; C. L. Munroe, Jr., to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.; L. O. Ryan, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; W. R. Morgan, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; P. G. Meisenholder, to Ft. Crockett, Tex.; P. W. Egan, to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.; H. H. Van Auker, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.

R. O. Cork, to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.; W. C. Mills, to Ft. Crockett, Tex.; H. H. Tellman, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; J. K. Gerhart, to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.; H. L. Mace, to Maxwell Fld., Ala.; S. J. Nelson, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; G. B. McLellan, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; E. Patterson, to Rockwell Fld., Calif.; F. H. Griswold, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; L. R. Brownfield, to Marshall Fld., Kans.; R. W. Burns, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; D. W. Jenkins, to Ft. Crockett, Tex.; W. M. Prince, to Ft. Crockett, Tex.; C. F. Hegy, to Selfridge Fld., Mich.; J. P. Newberry, to Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.; R. W. Goetz, to Rockwell Fld., Calif.; S. O. Ross, to Maxwell Fld., Ala.; J. W. Baylor, to Mitchell Fld., N. Y.

LEAVES

Seven days, Mar. 1, to Maj. E. E. Valentini, MI-Res. (Feb. 7.)

One month, 13 days, June 15, to 2nd Lt. R. G. Thomas, Jr., Inf. (Feb. 7.)

One month, 5 days, to Maj. R. L. Bodine, DC, July 15. (Feb. 8.)

Three months, June 1, to Lt. Col. C. Jones, CAC. (Feb. 10.)

Two months, 8 days, with permission to visit foreign countries on relief from pres. duty in P. I., to Lt. Col. C. H. Patterson, IGD. (Feb. 10.)

Four months, June 8, to 1st Lt. C. B. Leinbach, FA. (Feb. 10.)

Two months, 11 days, June 25, to 2nd Lt. H. Y. Grubbs, FA. (Feb. 10.)

Two months, July 1, to Maj. S. J. Chamberlin, Inf. (Feb. 10.)

Three months, June 14, to Capt. N. W. Liale, Cav. (Feb. 10.)

Two days, Feb. 14, Capt. W. B. Cickering, AGD. (Feb. 11.)

Two months, Apr. 29, to 1st Lt. J. C. Shively, AC. (Feb. 11.)

Two months, July 1, with permission to visit foreign countries, to Maj. R. L. Eichelberger, AGD. (Feb. 11.)

Unexpired portion of leave to Capt. T. A. Breen, VC, revoked. (Feb. 8.)

ORDER TO RETIRED OFFICER

Lt. Col. F. R. Lang, USA, ret., from pres. duty at N. Y. High Sch., N. Y. C., from further active duty, Feb. 10, to home. (Feb. 8.)

BOARD

A board consisting of the following officers of the MD, appointed to meet at Ft. Harrison, Ind., to examine applications for commission in VC, Regular Army:

Capt. L. G. Weisman, VC, Capt. R. E. Chambers, MC. (Feb. 7.)

Col. E. D. Scott, FA, Col. H. E. Cloke, CAC, Col. F. R. de Funak, Jr., Inf., detailed members of court of inquiry appointed to meet at Hdqrs. Hawaiian Dept., S. O., 264, W. D., 1929, vice Col. R. S. Abernethy, CAC, Col. G. D. Arrowsmith, Inf., and Col. W. E. Hunt, Inf., relieved. (Feb. 7.)

WARRANT OFFICERS

Wnt. Offr. C. H. Larrabee, having been found incapacitated for active service is retired. (Feb. 7.)

Wnt. Offr. J. Lightburn on own application retired from active service. (Feb. 10.)

Wnt. Offr. W. Ryan assigned to duty at Hdqrs., 2nd C. A. Governors Is., N. Y., on completing pres. tour of foreign service. (Feb. 11.)

Wnt. Offr. J. T. Linney from duties at Hdqrs., 2nd C. A. Governors Is., N. Y., to N. Y. C. and sail June 12 for Canal Zone for assignment to duty. (Feb. 11.)

RETIREMENT OF ENLISTED MEN

1st Sgt. E. Eckman, Co. F, 28th Inf., at Ft. Niagara, N. Y. (Feb. 7.)

Mstr. Sgt. T. J. Harrison, OD, at Ft. Howard, Md. (Feb. 7.)

1st Sgt. J. W. Carmichael, Hdqrs. and Service Co., 3d Engrs., at Schofield Bks., Hawaii. (Feb. 7.)

Mstr. Sgt. J. Bushkovski, Service Co., 5th Inf., at Ft. Williams, Me. (Feb. 8.)

Tech Sgt. P. Shinolt, DEML, at USMA, West Point, N. Y. (Feb. 10.)

1st Sgt. S. Hester, 43d Sch. Sq., AC, at Kelly Fld., Tex. (Feb. 10.)

Mstr. Sgt. R. L. Johnson, Service Battery, 52d CA, at Ft. Eustis, Va. (Feb. 10.)

ORGANIZED RESERVES

Col. C. L. DeL. Wells, CAC-Res., to active duty, Apr. 1, detailed addl. member of WDGS, to Wash., D. C., for duty with Ch. of Staff. (Feb. 7.)

1st Lt. H. H. Rugg, Spec-Res., to active duty Feb. 12, to Pittsburgh, Pa., dist. ord. office for training. (Feb. 8.)

2nd Lt. W. F. Murphy, QM-Res., to active duty, Mar. 17, to Boston, Mass., for training at Boston QM depot. (Feb. 8.)

Capt. H. H. Cloutier, QMC-Res., to active duty, Feb. 15, to Seattle Wash., to qm. depot for training. (Feb. 10.)

1st Lt. H. M. Dagg, QM-Res., to active duty Feb. 15, to Seattle qm. depot, Wash., for training. (Feb. 10.)

Following AC-Res., from duties at Mitchell Fld., L. I., N. Y., to N. Y. C., and sail Feb. 21 for Canal Zone for duty with AC:

2nd Lts. N. L. Barr, H. H. White. (Feb. 10.)

Lt. Col. H. C. Sanborn, QM-Res., to active duty Mar. 2, to Ft. Mason, S. F. Calif., for training at S. F. gen. depot. (Feb. 11.)

2nd Lt. B. M. Shaub, OD-Res., to active duty Feb. 16, to Phila., Pa., for training at Phila. dist. ord. office. (Feb. 11.)

2nd Lt. C. P. Hendricks, OD-Res., to active duty Feb. 23, to N. Y. dist. ord. office, N. Y. C., for training. (Feb. 11.)

LATE WAR DEPARTMENT ORDERS

The following orders were received too late for classification:

S. O. 36, W. D., Feb. 12, 1930.

General Officers

Brig. Gen. H. F. Rethers, asst. to QMG, for convenience of Government, to home and await retirement.

Quartermaster Corps

2nd Lt. G. M. Reilly (Inf.) from duty at Ft. Ethan Allen, Vt., to Ft. Williams, Me., for duty as asst. to qm.

Signal Corps

1st Lt. P. E. Tripp from duty at Ft. Bragg, N. C., to N. Y. C. and sail Mar. 28 for Panama Canal Department for duty.

Infantry

Col. D. L. Stone from duties in office of Asst. Sec. of War, Wash., D. C., June 30, to duty with 3d Inf., Ft. Snelling, Minn.

1st Lt. F. X. Oberst, having been found physically disqualified for duties of Capt. by reason of disability incident to service, his retirement as Capt. is announced.

Air Corps

Maj. F. L. Martin from duty in office of Ch. of AC, Wash., D. C., Aug. 1, to AC training center, Duncan Fld., San Antonio, Tex., for duty as commandant of AC Adv. Flying Sch., Kelly Fld., Tex.

1st Lt. C. W. Pyle in add. to other duties, detailed for duty with Dept. of commandant CA Sch., Ft. Monroe, Va., in connection with work of promoting civil aviation.

Capt. W. B. Gates from duty at Kelly Fld., Tex., to San Antonio air depot, Duncan Fld., San Antonio, Tex., for duty.

Lt. Col. J. W. S. Wuest from duty at

NAVY ORDERS

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USS S-30 to Naval Academy; Lt. (jg) T. R. Cowie, from USS Simpson to Naval Academy; Lt. (jg) J. S. Laidlaw, from USS Hart to US Naval Academy; Lt. (jg) C. G. Grimes, from USS Barker to Naval Academy; Lt. (jg) J. A. McNally, from USS Black Hawk to Naval Academy; Lt. (jg) W. A. Burford, from USS S-31; to Naval Academy.

Lt. (jg) H. C. Johnson, Jr., from USS S-32 to Naval Academy; Lt. (jg) R. D. Smith to USS S-30; Lt. (jg) L. S. Parks, to USS S-36; Lt. (jg) G. E. Fee to USS S-38; Lt. (jg) T. Wolcott, to USS S-35; Lt. (jg) F. W. Fenno, Jr., to USS S-37; Lt. (jg) J. O'Shea, Jr., to USS S-33; Lt. (jg) D. P. Tucker, from USS Tulsa to aide and flag lieut. on staff, Camdr., Yangtze Patrol, China; Ens. C. F. Stillman, to USS S-38; Ens. H. W. Gordon, Jr., to USS S-32; Ens. C. L. Freeman, to USS S-30; Lt. W. F. Fitzgerald, Jr., from aide and flag lieut. on staff, Camdr., Yangtze Patrol, China, to USS Tulsa; Lt. Comdr. (CC) G. C. Manning, from Dest. Sqds., Asiatic, to special duty, Shanghai, China.

Feb. 8

Rear Adm. P. Andrews, upon being placed on the retired list of officers of U. S. Navy on March 31; to continue present duties until reporting relief in May or June.

Comdr. C. L. Best, det. Off. in Chg., Navy Rtg. Sta., Portland, Oregon; to command USS Badger. Ora. Dec. 4 modified.

Comdr. P. L. Carroll, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to duty on staff of Naval War College, Newport, R. I.

Comdr. F. J. Comerford, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to duty Nav. Powder Factory, Indianhead, Md.

Comdr. E. J. Foy, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to Rec. Sta., Phila., Pa.

Comdr. T. C. Kinkaid, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to General Board, Navy Dept.

Comdr. H. V. McCabe, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to 4th Nav. Dist., Phila., Pa.

Comdr. H. H. Norton, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to Div. of Flt. Trng., Navy Dept.

Comdr. F. M. Robinson, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

Comdr. G. W. Simpson, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to duty to aide to Comdt., 3rd Nav. Dist.

Comdr. R. A. Theobald, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to Naval Operations, Wash., D. C.

Comdr. F. A. L. Vossler, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 20; to Bu. Nav.

Comdr. N. H. White, Jr., det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to duty on the staff of Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Lt. Comdr. W. H. P. Blandy, det. aide on staff, Battleship Divs., Battle Flt., about June 1; to Nav. Ord. Plant, South Charleston, West Va.

Lt. Comdr. J. F. Meigs, relieved from all active duty about Feb. 10; to home.

Lt. Comdr. W. D. Snyder, det. Navy Yard, Boston, about May 7; to USS Argonne.

Lt. H. D. Power, ors. Jan. 17 modified. to duty 12th Nav. Dist., San Francisco.

Lt. R. G. Thayer, to duty aide on staff, Flt. Base Force.

Lt. P. M. Thornton, det. 12th Nav. Dist., about June 21; to command USS Penguin.

Lt. (jg) E. M. Eller, det. from all duty about Feb. 10; to resignation accepted effective March 28, 1930.

Capt. A. B. Clifford (MC), det. Nav. Hosp., Annapolis, Md., about April 15; to Navy Yard, Puget Sound, Wash.

Capt. M. S. Elliott (MC), det. Navy Yard, Puget Sound, Wash., about April 25; to Marine Corps Base, San Diego, Calif.

Capt. E. A. Duff (CHC), det. Flt. Chaplain, Scgt. Flt., about May 15; to Navy Yard, New York, N. Y.

Langley Fld., Va., June 15, to Chanute Fld., Rantoul, Ill., and assume command at that station.

Leaves

Thirteen days, Mar. 17, to Col. C. H. Wilson, GSC.

Twenty-five days, Feb. 27, to Col. R. C. Foy, GSC, with permission to visit foreign countries.

Two months, Apr. 8, to 2nd Lt. T. Q. Ashburn, Jr., Inf.

Board

Board of officers to consist of Maj. Gens. F. W. Sladen, D. E. Nolan, F. R. McCoy, Brig. Gens. L. R. Holbrook, A. G. Lott, C. H. Conrad, Jr., W. E. Cole, to meet in Washington, D. C., Mar. 17, to make classification of officers under the provisions of sec. 24B, chap. 1, act of Congress approved June 4, 1920.

Retirement of Enlisted Men
Staff Sgt. R. W. Neff, DEML, at Ohio State Univ., Columbus, O.
1st Sgt. T. Mosely, 100th MTC, QMC, at Inf. Sch., Ft. Benning, Ga.
Mstr. Sgt. L. J. Stein, CE, at Ft. McPherson, Ga.

Organized Reserves
Capt. R. H. Barklow, MI-Res., from duty in office of Ch. of Staff, G-2, Wash., D. C., to home.

Following SC-Res., to active duty, Feb. 25, to Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to pursue course of instruction for reserve officers at Signal Sch.

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Lt. R. D. MacCart (CC), to duty involving flying Bu. Aero.
Bosn. G. Cuthbert, det. USS Mallard about Feb. 20; to USS Quail. Ors. to USS Memphis revoked.

Feb. 10

Comdr. H. S. Babbitt, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to USS Oklahoma.

Lt. R. P. Whitmarsh, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 27; to USS Raleigh.

Ens. T. W. Jones, det. USS Texas about March 23; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Ens. H. M. Neuhaus, det. Bu. Nav. about Feb. 14; to resignation accepted effective March 14, 1930.

Lt. (jg) L. C. Pritchett (CHC) to duty Nav. Trng. Sta., San Diego, Calif.

Ch. Bosn. C. A. Dannenman, det. USS Marblehead; to command USS Iuka.

Ch. Mach. W. H. England, det. Navy Yard, New York, N. Y., about June 14; to USS Rochester.

Feb. 11

Lt. Comdr. H. F. Ely, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to USS Goff.

Lt. Comdr. H. K. Fenn, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to duty on the staff of Nav. War College, Newport, R. I.

Lt. W. K. Bigger, relieved all active duty about Feb. 14; to home.

Lt. L. W. Busbey, Jr., det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to USS Florida.

Lt. C. B. Hunt, det. Rec. Ship, San Francisco, about Feb. 1; to Naval Academy.

Lt. G. D. Morrison, desp. ors. Jan. 11 revoked; to continue duty USS Sicard.

Lt. J. C. Van Cleave, det. USS William B. Preston; to Navy Rtg. Sta., Des Moines, Iowa, as Off. in Chg.

Lt. (jg) P. W. Hord, det. USS Selfridge; to Naval Academy.

Lt. H. A. Rigby (SC), to duty Nav. Air Factory, Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

Ch. Gun. W. F. Schlesinger, relieved all active duty; to home.

Ch. Mach. W. E. De Foor, det. Navy Yard, Mare Island, Cal., about Feb. 3; to USS Aroostook.

Ch. Mach. C. W. Wagner, det. USS Trenton about May 15; to Navy Yard, Phila., Pa.

Ch. Pay Clk. H. H. Koppang, det. USS Mississippi; to USS Neches.

Feb. 12

Comdr. G. E. Baker, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to USS Idaho.

Comdr. A. T. Bidwell, det. USS Rochester about June 20; to Nav. Ammun. Depot, Dover (Lake Denmark), N. J.

Comdr. W. E. Clarke, det. Off. in Chg., Br. Hydrographic Office, Baltimore, Md., about May 15; to USS Maryland.

Comdr. H. H. Frost, det. Army War College, Wash., D. C.; to member of faculty, Army War College, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Comdr. O. Nimitz, det. USS Cincinnati about May 10; to Naval Academy.

Lt. Comdr. E. T. Short, det. University of California, Berkeley, Calif., about May 1; to connection USS Houston.

Lt. Comdr. L. F. Small, det. Navy Yard, Mare Island, Calif., about May 10; to Subm. Divs., Battle Flt. Ors. Feb. 1, revoked.

Lt. V. C. Bixby, det. Nav. Sta., Key West, Fla., about May 1; to USS Elliott.

Lt. R. H. Cruzen, det. USS Elliott about May 15; to Naval Academy.

Lt. W. C. Ansel, det. Nav. War College, Newport, R. I., about May 29; to Marine Bks., Quantico, Va.

Lt. R. W. Boughter, det. USS Goff; to Navy Yard, New York, N. Y.

Lt. B. W. Decker, det. USS Sacramento about Aug. 25; to Naval Academy.

Lt. T. H. Hassell, det. USS Procyon about May 22; to Off. in Chg., Navy Rtg. Sta., Birmingham, Ala.

Lt. J. H. Jacobson, det. Navy Yard, Wash., D. C., about May 1; to duty as Off. in Chg., Battle Flt. camera party, Flt. Base Force.

t. P. Miller, det. USS Barry; to treatment, nearest U. S. Nav. Hosp. in U. S.

Lt. H. A. Pinkerton, relieved from all active duty about Aug. 15; to home.

Lt. F. Risser, relieved from all active duty about March 1; to home.

Lt. W. E. Tarbutton, det. USS Gannet about May 22; to Rec. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Lt. (jg) A. F. Crowley, det. USS Sands about Jan. 31; to treatment nearest nav. hosp. in U. S.

Lt. (jg) I. E. Hobbs, det. USS Pruitt about March 23; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. (jg) C. H. B. Morrison, det. Nav. Air Sta., San Diego, Calif., about Feb. 3; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. (jg) P. S. Reynolds, det. USS Utah about April 15; to Nav. Trng. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Ens. W. O. Burch, Jr., det. USS West Virginia about March 23; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.

Lt. J. B. Logue (MC), det. Medical aide to American High Commissioner to Haiti; to Rec. Sta., Hampton Rds., Va.

Lt. (jg) R. W. Hege (MC), det. Nav. Med. School, Wash., D. C., about April 1; to temp. duty Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla. Ors. Feb. 4 revoked.

Lt. Comdr. R. V. Miller (CEC), det. Office of Engineer in Chief, Republic of Haiti; to treatment, Wash., D. C.

Ch. Pay Clk. F. P. Brown, det. Rec. Sta., Phila., Pa., about March 15; to Nav. Sta., Tutuila,

Army Orders

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Capt. S. W. Kephart, J. A. Sterling, 1st Lt. T. A. Jerrell, QM-Res., to active duty Mar. 16, to Ft. Robinson, Nebr., for training at qm. depot.

Maj. J. E. Gonseth, SC-Res., to active duty Feb. 21, to Chicago, Ill., for training at Chicago qm. depot.

LATE WAR DEPARTMENT ORDERS

The following orders were received too late for classification:

S. O. 37, W. D., FEB. 13, 1930

General Staff Corps

Col. S. D. Embick from detail as member of GSC from duty with WDGS, Mar. 2, from duty in office of Ch. of Staff, Wash., D. C., June 30, to duty as asst. Commerce for 1 yr. in Hawaiian Territory.

Quartermaster Corps

1st Lt. W. Karlson from duty at Ft. Totten, N. Y., Mar. 1, to Ft. Jay, N. Y., for duty as asst. to qm.

Capt. L. I. Cooke from duty at Ft. Bliss, Tex., from addl. duty as asst. to constructing qm. to Rockwell Fld., Calif. for duty as qm.

Capt. L. E. Hunt, in add. to pres. duties assigned to duty as qm. for southern Calif. border dist.

Medical Corps

Maj. J. H. Ashcraft from duty at Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind., to duty at gen. disp., USA, New York City, on expiration of pres. course of instruction at AMS, AMC, Wash., D. C. to N. Y. for duty.

Finance Department

Lt. Col. T. E. Jansen from addl. duty in office of finance off., USA, Wash., D. C.

Cavalry

Maj. J. A. Weeks from duty as stud. C&GS Sch., Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., assigned to duty at that school.

2nd Lt. J. P. Braden detailed in OD, June 10, from duty with 7th Cav., Ft. Bliss, Tex., to Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., for duty.

Field Artillery

Maj. F. Royse from further detail as instr. FA, Ill. NG, Aurora, Ill., assigned to 3d FA Bn., Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind.

Coast Artillery Corps

1st Lt. G. E. Waldo now at Fitzsimons Gen. Hosp., Denver, Colo., to president of Army retiring board for examination.

Infantry

Maj. d'A Ferhet to Army and Navy Gen. Hosp., Hot Spring Natl. Park, Ark. for observation and treatment.

Order amended to read: 1st Lt. R. S. Moore, now FD, on completing temp. duty to Bklyn, N. Y., for duty in office of finance off., USA, Bklyn, N. Y.

Air Corps

Maj. H. A. Dargue from duty as stud. Naval War College, Newport, R. I., on completing pres. course of instruction, assigned to duty at Langley Fld., Hampton, Va.

Capt. L. H. Smitt from duty as AC representative at Curtis Aeroplane and Motor Co., Buffalo, N. Y., from addl. duty with OR, 2d C. A., from assignment to 308th Balloon Co., 332d Service Sq., Feb. 15, to Bristol, Pa., for duty as AC representative at Keystone Aircraft Corp.

1st Lt. E. P. Gaines from duty as AC representative at Curtis Aeroplane and Motor Co., Garden City, L. I., N. Y., to Buffalo, N. Y., for duty as AC representative, Curtiss Aeroplane and Motor Co.

2nd Lt. T. C. Dolan from detail in AC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., assigned to 8th Inf. Ft. Screven, Ga.

2nd Lt. E. L. Moseley from detail in AC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., assigned to Inf., 2d Div., Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Philippine Scouts

1st Lt. F. Christian (Inf.) now on leave at Chicopee Falls, Mass., from duty with 45th Inf., Ft. McKinley, P. I., assigned to 24th Inf., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Leaves

One month, 10 days, with permission to visit foreign countries, March 1, to Lt. Col. C. E. T. Lull, CWS.

Two months, Aug. 1, to Maj. W. R. Nichols, CAC.

Eight days, Feb. 13, to Maj. G. P. Baldwin, GSC.

One month, 13 days, to Wmnt. Offr. R. W. Hettinier, hd. 9th C. A., pres. of S. F., Calif.

Orders to Retired Officers

Maj. E. J. Abbott, to active duty New York City for duty in connection with recruiting, 2d CA.

Lt. Col. W. P. Banta from duty with recruiting, N. Y., to home.

Retirement of Enlisted Man

1st Sgt. G. S. Crowell 30th Ord. Co., at Tank Sch., Ft. G. Meade, Md.

Organized Reserves

Lt. Col. G. Hodges, jr., AGD-Res., to active duty April 23, detailed addl. member of WDGS, to Wash., D. C., to Ch. of Staff for duty.

2nd Lt. J. N. Peyton AC-Res., to active duty Feb. 20, to Langley Fld., Va., for duty with tactical unit of AC.

Navy W. O. Exams. Pend

THE week beginning July 21 has been designated for the conduct of examinations for appointment of enlisted men, USN, to the grades of boatswain, gunner, electrician, radio electrician, machinist, carpenter, pharmacist, and acting pay clerk.

Adm. Hughes Improving

MRS. HUGHES, wife of Adm. Charles Hughes, has postponed the "at home" which was to be held Tuesday, Feb. 13. The Admiral is reported to be convalescing very satisfactorily.

Marine Corps Orders.

MARINE CORPS ORDERS

Capt. B. F. Johnson, detached AS, WCEF, NAS, San Diego, Calif., to AS, Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via the USAT St. Mihel, scheduled to sail from San Francisco, Calif., on or about March 1st.

1st Lt. N. E. Clauson, detached Nicaraguan National Guard detachment to MB, Quantico, Va., via first available Government conveyance.

2nd Lt. C. E. Fox, on February 15th detached MB, NTS, Newport, R. I., to MB, NAS, Pensacola, Fla.

Chf. Pay Clk. C. W. Eaton, detached First Brigade, Haiti, to MB, NYd, New York, N. Y., for duty and to Naval Hospital, New York, N. Y., for treatment.

Feb. 7.

1st Lt. A. W. Cockrell, detached MB, NOP, South Charleston, W. Va., to Asiatic Station via the USS Henderson scheduled to sail from San Francisco, Calif., on or about March 14.

1st Lt. D. R. Fox, detached MB, NYd, Charleston, S. C., to Asiatic Station via the USS Henderson scheduled to sail from San Francisco, Calif., on or about March 14.

Chf. Qm. Clk. D. C. Buscall, detached Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D. C., to Asiatic Station via the USS Henderson scheduled to sail from San Francisco, Calif., on or about March 14.

MRS. LLOYD GIVES UP COLUMN

The Army and Navy Journal regrets to announce that through illness Mrs. Walter Kenyon Lloyd has been compelled to discontinue writing for the Shoppers' Column for Service folk, which she so successfully created and edited. Mrs. Lloyd has suggested as her successor Miss Ethel Cozart Haralson, who is a member of the League of American Pen Women, and has relatives in both the Army and Navy.

Opposes Special Bills

PROMOTION of officers of the Navy by special legislation, taking their cases out of the hands of selection boards, was severely condemned in the House this week. Representative Collins, Democrat, of Missouri, acting for the Democratic leader of the House, objected to a number of bills of this kind taken up on the Private Calendar.

Similar objection was made by Rear Adm. Richard H. Leigh, before the House Naval Affairs Committee, when considering the bill providing for the promotion to the rank of rear admiral of Capt. Walter R. Gherardi, which had the approval of the Secretary of the Navy.

Adm. Leigh stated that, as chief of the Bureau of Navigation, he felt called upon to oppose the bill in face of the approval by the Secretary of the Navy, as the principle involved was of such importance. Representatives Britten and Vinson, the ranking members on the committee, commended Adm. Leigh for his stand. Mr. Vinson, however, who has been advocating the adoption of a "General Staff system" for the Navy, said that the difference of opinion between the head of the Department and the Chief of the Bureau of Navigation brought out his contention that there was a lack of cooperation in the Navy.

Capt. Gherardi's bill and the bill for the promotion of Comdr. Francis J. Cleary which passed both houses last Congress, and was pocket vetoed by the President, were referred back to the sub-committee on private bills by Chairman Britten.

Objection was made in the House by Mr. Collins to the following private naval bills: H. R. 1449, Paymaster Charles Robert O'Leary; H. R. 1798, Francis Leo Shea; H. R. 4763, Russell H. Lindsay; H. R. 1122, Raymond Nelson Hickman; H. R. 5151, T. G. Roberts. According to the rules of the House, without unanimous consent the bills could not be considered and were passed over.

Mr. Collins, in opposing the bills made the following statement:

"I do not believe in the principle of promoting Army or Navy officers by Congress. I do not think that it is the proper way for men to secure promotion. I think the Navy Department and the War Department have better opportunities to know what men should be promoted than Congress, and hence I believe that we ought to leave the question to them."

Representative LaGuardia took the same stand, asking those favoring the bills what they would say if he "had put in a bill for putting Billy Mitchell back in the service." Mr. LaGuardia answered his own question, saying "I know the gentleman would say you ought to support the General Staff."

A number of other private bills were passed by the House, Wednesday, during the consideration of the Private Calendar and were sent to the Senate.

cisco, Calif., on or about March 14.

Chf. Pay Clk. A. A. Zaraccina, detached MB, NYd, Mare Island, Calif., to Asiatic Station via the USS Henderson scheduled to sail from San Francisco, Calif., on or about March 14.

The following named officers detached stations indicated to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via the USAT St. Mihel scheduled to sail from San Francisco, Calif., on or about March 1:

Capt. H. O. Martin, MB, NYd, Mare Island, Calif.; Capt. E. G. Huefe, and W. L. Harding, and 1st Lt. R. Skinner, MCB, NOB, San Diego, Calif.

The following named officers detached Department of the Pacific to stations indicated via the USAT St. Mihel scheduled to sail from San Francisco, Calif., on or about March 1:

Capt. C. T. Brooks, 1st Lts. J. M. Smith, G. Hall, 2nd Lts. E. C. Ferguson, and L. N. Uts, MB, Quantico, Va.; 1st Lt. E. M. Callaway, Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D. C.; 1st Lt. W. N. McKelvy, MB, Parris Island, S. C.; Chf. Mar. Gnr. J. S. McNulty, MB, Norfolk NYd, Portsmouth, Va.

Feb. 10

Capt. J. T. Selden, on Feb. 10 detached Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D. C., to Asiatic Station via the SS President Jefferson, scheduled to sail from Seattle, Wash., on or about March 8.

1st Lt. H. S. Keimling, detached MB, NYd, New York, N. Y., to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via the Army transport scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 21.

1st Lt. W. B. Onley, assigned to duty with Fourth Regiment, Shanghai, China.

1st Lt. L. H. Wellman, assigned to duty at MB, NS, Cavite, P. I.

1st Lt. L. E. Power, detached MB, Quantico, Va.; to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via the Army transport scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 21.

2nd Lt. P. P. Schrider, detached MB, Quantico, Va.; to AS, Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via the Army transport scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 21.

No changes were announced on Feb. 8.

Feb. 13

Maj. T. S. Clarke, on March 1st detached MB, NA, Annapolis, Md., to Garde d'Haiti, Port Au Prince, Haiti, via the USS Kittery, scheduled to sail from Hampton Roads, Va., on or about March 12.

1st Lt. R. G. Hunt, detached Second Brigade, Nicaragua; to Nicaraguan National Guard Detachment.

1st Lt. G. H. Steenberg, detached MB, Quantico, Va.; to Second Brigade, Nicaragua, via the Army transport scheduled to sail from New York, N. Y., on or about Feb. 21.

1st Lt. L. H. Wellman, detached MB, NS, Cavite, P. I., to Fourth Regiment, Shanghai, China.

2nd Lt. G. H. Bellinger, assigned to duty at MB, NS, Cavite, P. I.

2nd Lt. H. L. Litzberg, on Feb. 19 detached MB, NYd, Puget Sound, Washington, MB, NYd, Washington, D. C.

Chf. Qm. Clk. C. A. Burton, detached Fourth Regiment, Shanghai, China; to Department of the Pacific, via the USS Chaumont, scheduled to sail from Shanghai on or about March 3.

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Ft. Douglas Sports

COMPANY M, 38th Inf., triumphed in the inter-company basketball league with a record of ten victories and one defeat. They were closely followed by Company H and K, both owning nine victories, while suffering two losses. The machine gunners played steadily all season, apparently giving to each game just enough of their ability to eke out a victory. Their record of points scored showed them leading the league with 379 points against their opponents 163. Parzak and Phillips, both members of the post team, led the way in point scoring for the entire league, ringing up over 150 baskets during the year. 2nd Lt. J. A. Stewart, captain of the five, steadied the team all year and was responsible for a number of the victories.

The post basketball team included in the early schedule games with Utah University, Utah Agricultural College and other leading universities and colleges in the district. The soldiers' fast clean play and excellent sportsmanship has been favorably commented on by every team and athletic director with whom the squad came in contact. A firm foundation has thus been laid for the future seasons, another favorable contact made by the Army. The team has up to date played 17 games, losing ten and winning seven. They have scored 608 points while their opponents have run up a total of 680. The squad plans to play in the 9th Corps Area tournament in San Francisco on March 7th and 8th, and with the experience they have had this year should make a creditable showing.

2nd Lt. John A. Stewart, the recreation officer, inaugurated monthly boxing smokers in the post gym in December and each month is officering six fast bouts. Several of the pugilists have caught the eye of Salt Lake promoters and have received attractive offers to display their wares in the city. The card offered for Feb. 19th is a particularly good one, two civilians, formerly members of the Rock of the Marne regiment, being booked to meet residents of the fort. As the attendance increases, it is Lt. Stewart's plan to reduce prices, so that eventually admission will be down to a minimum.

An inter-company volley ball league will begin operations on Feb. 17 and a hotly contested season is anticipated. Every company in the regiment has entered a team and is taking advantage of the week by practicing in the post gym.

The post bowling league is well into the middle of its schedule, with Companies G, K and L fighting for supremacy. Several outstanding team series and games have been rolled, including Company L, record for a series of 2609, and Service Company, high team game of 918. In the officer's league, 2nd Battalion is showing the way with Regimental Headquarters closely following. Col. H. C. Price, commanding 38th Infantry, leads the individual scorers with an average of 176.

3RD INF. OUTSHOOT 5 FOES

Ft. Snelling (Special)—In its telegraphic small bore rifle matches, 3rd Infantry has been victorious over five of the six opponents it has contested with to date.

One match resulted in the following scores: 3rd Inf., 2532, 11th Inf. (Ft. Benjamin Harrison), 2479, 2nd Inf. (Ft. Brady), 2418, and 6th Inf. (Jefferson Barracks), 2403.

A second match was won by the 26th Inf. (Governors Island), by 2534, against 2513 for the 3rd, 2404 for the 28th Inf. (Plattsburg Barracks), and 2340 by the 5th Inf. (Ft. Williams).

NG FA POLOISTS TRIM CAV.

Pikesville, Md. (Special)—The 110th Field Artillery, Md. NG, on Feb. 1 outscored the 5th Cav. Pa. NG, poloists 20-8.



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SERVICE SPORTS

Ft. Snelling Sports.

Third Infantry sport activities this winter are making Ft. Snelling one of the athletic centers of the Twin Cities. These activities comprise hockey, curling, basketball, boxing, skiing, skijoring and bowling.

Bowling is a favorite sport among both officers and enlisted men. A tournament for enlisted men has been started, with 18 five-man teams competing. Prizes of \$10.00, \$5.00 and \$2.50 are offered to the team with the highest aggregate scores. The tournament began on Feb. 1, to continue ten days. An open tournament will be held from Feb. 10 to 20.

In the inter-company hockey league Company H, 3rd Inf., is leading the race for the championship, with five games won and none lost. Company B is second, with six won and one lost.

Before a crowd of several hundred civilians and soldiers Headquarters Company last week defeated Company H, 36 to 29, in a last minute dash for honors and baskets. Neither team had suffered previous defeat. Company G remains unbeaten and will meet Headquarters Company in the near future.

Ft. Snelling curlers are back on home grounds now, after competing with many veteran skips and rinks in the recent Northwest Bonspiel. At the present time Company E, 3rd Inf., is leading the inter-company curling league with a percentage of .1000, after winning six games.

NG CAGERS IN TRIPLE BILL.

Baltimore (Special)—At the Fayette Street Armory here on Jan. 31 the 104th Medical Regiment Whites defeated the 110th FA Reds, 54 to 6; the 5th Inf. Grays defeated the 104th Medical Regiment Maroons, 26 to 13; the 5th Inf. Blues defeated the 110th FA Golds, 20 to 12.

The games were under the auspices of the Maryland Military Athletic Association.

For Feb. 15, at the Fayette Street Armory, the association announces eight classes of boxing contests, open to all enlisted men in the Maryland National Guard.

N. R. A. ANNOUNCES WINNERS

Winners of the first 16 national events of the indoor shooting season were announced this week by the National Rifle Association. Eight of the matches were fired with the .22 caliber fire 20-yard pistol match.

Sgt. Joseph Smith, USA, Ft. Ontario, took the honors in the slow fire 20-yard pistol match and the timed fire 20-yard pistol match.

Young Douglas McDougal, Jr., midshipman at the U. S. Naval Academy, and son of Col. Douglas McDougal, USMC, organizer and coach of several international rifle matches, won three medals in the rifle competitions.

The participants in this first series of N. R. A. matches hail from 39 States, the District of Columbia, Canal Zone, Hawaii and Canada.

There are 56 indoor matches still to be fired, and the program will not be completed until Spring when the outdoor events will get under way.

The Association's program of Winter shooting includes events for every known class of competitor.

SCHOOLS IN GALLERY SHOOT.

Boonville, Mo. (Special)—Kemper Military School of this town, will have an interscholastic indoor gallery meet on Feb. 22. This will be the first meet of its kind ever conducted in the 7th Corps Area. The affair is supported and approved by the National Rifle Association and the Missouri State Rifle and Pistol Association, and some very handsome trophies and medals are offered. To date six colleges and seven high schools will be represented by teams. An interesting feature will be the girl's team match. It is proposed to make this an annual event. Kemper has a very excellent modern indoors gallery of 16 traversing targets.

WILL PLAY AT CHICAGO.

West Point (Special)—An agreement has been reached to play the current year's Notre Dame football game schedule for Nov. 8, at Chicago instead of New York. This was arranged for the convenience of the Notre Dame team, which has to travel to the Coast the week after the Army game. The 1931 and 1932 games will be played in New York as usual.

Knox Trophy Awarded

Boston (Special)—The Knox Trophy, awarded each year by the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution in Massachusetts to the batteries of Field Artillery and Coast Artillery (H.D.), Mass. NG, showing the greatest efficiency for the year, has been awarded for the year 1929 to Battery C, 241st Coast Artillery (H. D.) then commanded by Capt. C. W. Harris and to Battery A, 102d Field Artillery, commanded by Capt. C. H. Hilton.

COMMENCE NAVY GYM SEASON.

Annapolis (Special)—Gymnastics commence at the Naval Academy today, Varsity going against Temple and Plebes against Mercersburg. Small bore matches will oppose Varsity to V. M. I., Plebes to Western H. S., of Washington. Varsity meets George Washington U., Plebes Tome School in basketball. In swimming and water polo, Varsity meets Columbia, Plebes Baltimore Poly. Varsity wrestlers meet Lehigh, Plebes V. M. I. The Varsity boxers will confront U. of Pennsylvania, Plebes Cook Academy. Yale fencers clash with Varsity.

On Feb. 8, Navy's undefeated teams remained so, and the Varsity cagers defeated U. of Virginia, 53-38. Navy's grip on the victory was at no point threatened. The Plebe cagers were less lucky, losing by 38-23 to Manlius School. Navy tank mastery was established over College of the City of New York by a 56-6 swimming and a 59-3 water polo score. Varsity wrestlers won, 25-8 over Duke. Varsity and Plebe boxers won, the former by 6-1 over M. I. T., and the latter over V. M. I. Frosh by 4-3. Navy riflemen outshot Ohio State 1384-1348 in the small bore matches.

Twelve Naval Academy teams will engage on Washington's Birthday.

ARMY PLEBE MATMEN START.

West Point (Special)—Plebe wrestlers will today try to emulate their pugilistic classmates' achievements of last Saturday, by winning the first of their two scheduled meets, to be contested with Poly Prep, Brooklyn.

The Varsity wrestlers will come to grips today with U. of Pennsylvania. Cagers meet Johns Hopkins, boxers go to Washington to meet Georgetown, hockeyists meet U. of New Hampshire at Durham, poloists return Harvard's visit of last week, the tankmen go to Hanover and meet Dartmouth.

Feb. 8 contests resulted in a 5-2 conquest of Virginia Military Institute by the Varsity boxers, Plebe boxers' 4-3 win over Bellefonte Academy, a 24-0 Army polo victory over Harvard, a Plebe quint 28-27 win over Dean Academy, a tie between Army and Washington Square Club fencers—11-11, and a 5-1 loss to Marquette in hockey.

Washington's birthday will be featured by the following meets:

Basketball—Varsity, Ohio State (at Columbus); Plebes, Cook Academy. Boxing—Varsity, N. Y. U.; Plebes, Cook Academy. Wrestling—Varsity, Davidson; Plebes, Newton H. S. Swimming—Varsity, Brown; Plebes, Jamaica H. S. Hockey—Varsity, Royal Military College of Canada. Polo—Varsity, Pennsylvania Military College.

SNELLING CAGE RACE SIMMERS.

Ft. Snelling (Special)—By defeating the runners-up—Company G, 3rd Inf.—for first place in the post basketball league recently—score 44-40—Headquarters Company retained first place and probably clinched it, as this team's still slated opponents have not demonstrated as much class as itself.

HORSE SHOW RECOGNIZED.

Ft. Snelling (Special)—The military and civilian horse show inaugurated here last spring has been recognized as a member of the National Association of American Horse Shows, Inc., with headquarters at 30 Broad St., New York, according to information received by Capt. E. N. Frakes, secretary.

The dates of May 30, 31 and June 1 have been tentatively selected for this year's show.

TELEGRAPHIC MATCH RESULTS.

Ft. Snelling (Special)—Results in the latest shoot of the telegraphic matches originated by the 3rd Infantry this year were:

7th Inf., Vancouver Bks., 2603; 4th Inf., Ft. George Wright, 2560; 3rd Inf., Ft. Snelling, 2539; 23rd Inf., Ft. Sam Houston, 2420.

Public's Army Data Slight

Governors Island (Special)—At a meeting of the League for Political Education recently, Maj. Gen. Hanson E. Ely, commanding the 2nd Corps Area, stated that, while the average man's knowledge concerning our national defense organization was small, he would revise his ideas as to expenditures, etc., if he honestly set about informing himself.

In the course of the speech Gen. Ely said: "The burglar doesn't become your friend and desist the more from his nefarious plan merely because the door is unlocked."

"The efficiency of national defense," the general also declared, "is directly proportionate to the appropriations for it. In time of peace, national defense is a matter of dollars and cents as national insurance."

Ft. Warren Gets "Talkies"

Ft. Frances E. Warren (Special)—Demand for the sound pictures since their installation at the post theater a week ago has caused the addition of a matinee each day.

MARKSMEN GET PRIZES

Ft. Benning (Special)—Following a review of the 29th Inf., Gen. Harris presented regimental prizes for excellence in marksmanship to enlisted men who were winners in the several classes of competitions.

Sgt. Frank J. New, Co. E, was awarded the first prize for making the highest score with the rifle during the last marksmanship season—330 of a possible 350.

Pvt. Francis N. Croft, of Co. G, was awarded the first prize for high rifle score in the recruit class—318.

Pvt. Kermit Cook, Co. C, whose score with the automatic rifle was 466, was awarded first prize for this weapon.

Sgt. Louis F. Cody, Co. H, and Pvt. John F. Martaretti, Co. D, tied for high score with the machine gun. Each made a score of 420, and each received an award of first prize.

Pvt. William H. Anderson, Howitzer Co., made a perfect score of 100 per cent with the 3-inch trench mortar and 37-mm. gun, and was awarded first prize for these classes of weapons.

Pvt. 1cl. H. J. Myers, also of Howitzer Co., shot 95.1 per cent and received first prize for high pistol score.

Each winner of a first prize received a gold watch, the gift of the regiment.

A bronze plaque was awarded to Co. E for qualifying the highest percentage of enlisted men with the rifle with the highest average score. Co. H was awarded the bronze plaque for qualifying the largest percentage of enlisted men with the machine gun with the highest average score.

A number of spectators including a visiting delegation of the Columbus Chamber of Commerce were present at the review and presentation ceremony.

ARMY WINS, NAVY LOSES.

Lincoln's Birthday basketball resulted in a 42-25 Army victory over Amherst at West Point, and Princeton's outscoring of the Naval Academy by 27-23 at Princeton.

NAME RIFLE TEAM CAPTAIN.

Maj. Courtney H. Hodges, 38th Inf., has been designated as captain of the Infantry rifle team for this year.

24TH INF. BEAT CONQUERORS

Columbus, Ga. (Special)—After losing to Tuskegee five the previous night, the 24th Infantry quintet from Ft. Benning defeated the same outfit recently by 19-13.

CAV. QUINT WINS TWO MORE.

West Point (Special)—The Cavalry five added two more games to their post victories with a record of four games played and won.

The QMC failed to put in appearance for their scheduled game and lost to the Cavalry by forfeit. Then the Cavalry defeated the USMA Band 15 to 10. The band played a good defensive and tried hard to prevent the Cavalrymen from shooting. During the game the score was tied four times—3 to 3; 5 to 5; 7 to 7, and 9 to 9. At this point the roughriders charged and kept the lead. C. White (capt.), Cav., scored nine of the 15 points made.

OBITUARIES

Announcement of deaths should be addressed to Editorial Office, Army and Navy Journal, Architects Building, Washington, D. C.

BRIG. GEN. MARION P. MAUS, USA, retired, who died Feb. 9, 1930, at New Windsor, Md., was well known in Washington and Maryland, and had a brilliant record in the Army. He was a great Indian fighter and had a remarkably diversified and interesting career in the Service. He was a native of Maryland, educated at Charlotte Hall, Md., and in 1870 entered the USMA, from which he graduated in '74.

He had many years service on frontier in campaigns against the Sioux, Apache, Cheyenne, Nez Perce and other Indians. Was engaged in action with Sioux Indians in the Black Hills, Dak., with the Nez Perce at Bear Paw Mountains, Mont.; with Apaches in Arizona and Old Mexico in the Sierra Madre Mountains. In the Apache campaign of 1885 and 1886, led by Geronimo and Natchez, he was commended twice in General Orders, War Department, for gallantry and marked skill and ability and was awarded a Medal of Honor by Congress for "distinguished gallantry in action." He was also awarded a silver star citation by the War Department for gallantry in action against the Nez Perce Indians at Bear Paw Mountains, Mont., Oct. 1, 1877. In 1894 he performed important service at the time of the riots in Chicago.

As A. D. C. he was with the Commanding General of the Army of Santiago during the conferences resulting in the surrender of the Spanish forces from July 11 to 16, 1898. He also accompanied the expedition to Porto Rico, where he served until the Protocol of peace. He served twice in the Philippine Islands and as Lt. Col. of the 22nd Inf., commanded that regiment in the Taraca campaign on Lake Lanao against the Moros. He was reappointed A. D. C. in 1897 to the Commanding General of the Army and accompanied him on a tour of Europe to witness the Graeco Turkish War and to witness the maneuvers of the Russian, German and French armies, also to represent the War Department at the jubilee of Queen Victoria of England. In 1892 and 1893 he made a tour of the world, accompanying Gen. Miles as A. D. C., and visiting officially Hawaii, the Philippines, Japan and China, and passing through Port Arthur and Manchuria, returning over the trans-Siberian Railroad to Russia, France, England, and the United States. He was Colonel of the 20th Infantry and commanded that regiment both in the Philippines and at the Presidio of Monterey. During the absence of Gen. Funston he was in temporary command of both the Pacific Division and the Department of California. After the earthquake and fire in San Francisco he was placed in command of the banking district of that city and was highly commended by Gen. Greely for the efficiency with which he and the troops under his command fulfilled this important duty. In 1910 he was appointed Brig. Gen. by President Taft and placed in command of the Department of the Columbia, which embraced Alaska, Oregon, Washington and part of Wyoming. In March 1911, Gen. Maus was ordered to Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio, Tex., to take command of one of the three brigades under Gen. Carter. He remained in command of this brigade on duty on the Mexican Border about six months and then returned to the Department of the Columbia.

Gen. Maus retired from active service in 1913. After his retirement Gen. and Mrs. Maus spent much time in traveling both in Europe and this country and the last few years have resided in Maryland.

Mrs. Maus, before her marriage, was Miss Lindsay Poor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Poor, Washington, D. C. Gen. Maus was a member of the Metropolitan, Army and Navy, and Chevy Chase Clubs, of Washington.

Col. William Henry Corbusier, USA, retired, died Feb. 7, 1930, at the Letterman General Hospital, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.; at the age of 85. Col. Corbusier was born in New York City, April 10, 1844, and was the son of William Morrison Corbusier and Mahala Myers, through whom he was descended from early settlers of Manhattan and New Jersey. One of his ancestors was the first white child born in Manhattan.

Col. Corbusier received his medical degree from Bellevue Hospital Medical College. He served as a Surgeon with Illinois troops during part of the Civil War. He also served in many of the Indian Campaigns of the West; as Medical Supply Officer of the first expedition to the Philippines in 1898; Chief Surgeon, Department of Mindanao, P. I.; and as Surgeon at many garrisons in the United States. At the time of his retirement, in 1908, he was serving as Chief Surgeon of the Department of the Columbia. During the World War, Col. Corbusier entered active service again and served on court martial duty at the port of embarkation until August 15, 1919. Since his retirement he has made Plainfield his residence.

Col. Corbusier was active in promoting the welfare of the American Indian and made valuable contributions to the study of Indian ethnology.

The duties involved, as Medical Supply Officer of the Philippine Expeditionary Force, were tremendous, involving responsibilities which no one on the scene could conceive of.

Col. Corbusier was the first to make use of the soldiers' identification tag in this country. On his recommendation, the American Red Cross furnished a large number of the soldiers of the Philippine Expeditionary Forces with such tags, and as every one knows, similar tags were given to all the troops during the World War.

Col. Corbusier married March 22, 1869, at Amite, Louisiana, Fanny, daughter of George Towers Dunbar, who was the Engineer of the Board of Public Works of the State of Louisiana. Mrs. Corbusier died in Plainfield, N. J., in 1918.

Col. Corbusier was a member of the Empire State Society, Sons of the American Revolution; Society of Colonial Wars, in the State of New York; Society of the War of 1812, of Pennsylvania; National Society of the Army of the Philippines; The American Flag Association; The Military Order of Moro Campaigns; The Association of Military Surgeons; Order of Indian Wars of the U. S.; New York Historical Association; Military Order of the World War; Army and Navy Club of America.

Col. Corbusier is survived by four sons: Col. Harold D. Corbusier, Med. Res., of Plainfield, N. J.; Col. P. W. Corbusier, USA, San Antonio, Tex.; Francis A. Corbusier, Alameda, Calif.; William T. Corbusier, Long Beach, Calif. One son, Claude R. Corbusier, died in 1927. There are also eight grandchildren surviving.

Interment was made in Arlington National Cemetery on Thursday morning, Feb. 13.

A correspondent writes concerning the late Col. Morris:

"The death of Lt. Col. E. R. Morris, USA, retired, after twenty-five years of active service as a medical officer, will be deplored by a great many devoted friends.

"In one respect Col. Morris was a most fortunate man, for he possessed the God-given faculty—the priceless gift of making a keeping devoted friends. Indeed, everyone who knew him was very fond of him, and the reason is not far to seek, for his was a most kindly, charitable and tolerant disposition, and his ever ready sympathy and helpfulness endeared him to all who knew him.

"He was the finest type of American gentleman; loyal, honorable, courteous and an ideal friend. Incapable himself of a mean or sordid thought, he saw no evil in those about him and always gave the most charitable explanation for acts which to his tolerant view seemed reprehensible."

Births, Marriages and Deaths

BORN.

BOTTOMS—Born at Ft. Monroe, Va., Feb. 2, 1930, to Capt. Maitland Bottoms, CA, USA, and Mrs. Bottoms, a son, James Willard.

BRAITMAYER—Born at Ridgewood, N. J., to Mr. O. E. Braitmayer, and Mrs. Braitmayer, daughter of Maj. F. H. Schoeffel, USA, retired, a son, John Watson, and a daughter, Anne.

BRINGHAM—Born at National Soldiers Home, Bath, N. Y., Feb. 3, 1930, to Capt. R. A. Bringham, USA, retired, and Mrs. Bringham, a son, John Balcom.

BROWN—Born at Selfridge Field, Mich., Feb. 1, 1930, to Lt. Harold Brown, USA, and Mrs. Brown, a son, William Grover.

CREEL—Born at Ft. Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 30, 1930, to Capt. Buckner M. Creel, Cav., USA, and Mrs. Creel, a son, Tilford Cameron.

HARTWIG—Born at Honolulu, T. H., Jan. 21, 1930, to Lt. (jg) Glen Roy Hartwig, USN, and Mrs. Hartwig, a son, Roy Frank.

HILL—Born at the Ft. Leavenworth Hospital, Kans., Feb. 4, 1930, to Maj. Ira B. Hill, CAC, USA, and Mrs. Hill, a son, John William.

JEFFS—Born at St. Paul's Hospital, Manila, P. I., Dec. 28, 1929, to Lt. Charles R. Jeffs, USN, and Mrs. Jeffs, a daughter, Harriet Elizabeth.

McALLISTER—Born at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, Ohio, Jan. 31, 1930, to Lt. C. D. McAllister, AC, USA, and Mrs. McAllister, a daughter, Jean.

McCONNELL—Born at the Norfolk Protestant Hospital, Norfolk, Va., Feb. 1, 1930, to Ens. B. A. McConnell, USN, and Mrs. McConnell, a daughter, Virginia Baret.

PEFLEY—Born at Shanghai, China, Feb. 5, 1930, to Lt. Alfred R. Pefley, USMC, and Mrs. Pefley, a son, grandson of Capt. J. D. Robnett, SC USN.

WOLFE—Born at Sternberg Hospital, Manila, P. I., Jan. 7, 1930, to Capt. Lloyd R. Wolfe, USA, and Mrs. Wolfe, a daughter, Louise.

MARRIED.

BLAIR-HERSCHEL—Married at New York City, Feb. 8, 1930, Miss Solveig Herschel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alf Herschel of Philadelphia, Pa., to Lt. Russell Blair, USA, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., son of Maj. and Mrs. George Blair, of Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

CARSON-STONEBRAKER—Married at St. John's Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 12, 1930, Miss Helen Benton Stonebraker, niece of Capt. G. Livingston Thompson, USA, and Mrs. Thompson, to Capt. Marion Carson, Cav., USA.

DODSON-BLANCHARD—Married at Colon Beach, C. Z., Jan. 29, 1930, Miss Mae Blanchard to Maj. Brooke Dodson, USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Dodson of Spencer, W. Va.

FARMAN-LINGENFELTER—Married in Torrance, Calif., Feb. 1, 1930, Miss Martha Lingenfelter, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Lingenfelter, to Lt. Ivan Lonsdale Farman, USA, of Rockwell Field, Calif.

TATE-BUCK—Married at Saint Paul's Memorial Church, San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 8, 1930, Miss Lucy Hamilton Buck, daughter of Col. Beaumont B. Buck, USA, ret., and Mrs. Buck, to Lt. Robert Frederick Tate, AC, USA, of Ft. Crockett, Tex. Rev. Sam C. Capers officiated and Rt. Rev. William T. Capers pronounced the benediction.

SHAW-GRIFFITHS—Married at Central Union Church, Honolulu, T. H., Feb. 1, 1930, Miss Eleanor Griffiths, daughter of Mrs. A. P. Griffiths of Honolulu, to Harold R. Shaw, son of Capt. and Mrs. John A. Shaw, USA.

SLATTERY-BLABON—Married at Berwyn, Pa., Jan. 11, 1930, Miss Mary Stout Blabon to Lt. William James Slattery, USN.

DIED.

BABCOCK—Died at New York City, Feb. 3, 1930, Mrs. Elizabeth Babcock, wife of Maj. Franklin Babcock, USA.

BROCKWAY—Died at Clermont, Fla., Feb. 2, 1930, Patrick H. Brockway, father of Capt. Edgar K. Brockway, Inf., USA.

BROWNE—Died at San Diego, Calif., Feb. 4, 1930, Maj. William J. Browne, USA, retired.

CORBUSIER—Died at the Letterman General Hospital, Presidio of San Francisco, Calif., Feb. 7, 1930, Col. William Henry Corbusier, USA, retired, father of Col. H. D. Corbusier, Med. Res.; Col. P. W. Corbusier, USA; F. A. Corbusier, and W. T. Corbusier.

DUVALL—Died at Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C., Feb. 10, 1930, 1st Sgt. Robert L. Duvall, 24th Inf., USA, ret.

KEYES—Died at St. George, S. I., Feb. 10, 1930, Mr. John M. Keyes, who served in the World War, in the Base Hospital at Chaumont, France, with the rank of captain.

KIMBALL—Died at her residence 1767 Que St. N. W., Washington, D. C., Feb. 12, 1930, Esther Spencer Kimball, wife of the late Rear Adm. Wirt Kimball, USN, ret.

KOCH—Died at Washington, D. C., Feb. 7, 1930, Mrs. Cora Koch, wife of Capt. Ralph A. Koch, USN. Services were held Feb. 10, at 10 a. m., from Gawler's Chapel, interment private.

MAUS—Died at his home in New Windsor, Md., Feb. 9, 1930, Brig. Gen. Marion P. Maus, retired, husband of Lindsay Poor Maus. Funeral services took place Feb. 12 at Ft. Myer Chapel. Interment in Arlington National Cemetery.

MERTZ—Died in Harrison, N. Y., Feb.

Chicago NG Commission

THE Chicago National Guard Commission was established in 1920 by Gov. Lowden. Jan. 1, 1930, a new commission was appointed by Gov. Emmerson.

The duties of the commission are primarily the organization of community support and raising and disbursing of necessary funds for the activities of the Illinois National Guard quartered within the territorial limits of the city of Chicago not covered by Federal or state appropriations. For this purpose it is hoped to raise \$50,000 annually. These funds are expended only for the promotion of morale and efficiency of the Guard and recruiting. Some of the authorized purposes for which these funds may be used are briefly: Transportation and rations for troops engaged in large patriotic demonstrations; remodeling and refitting uniforms; trophies; athletics and other entertainments; equipping and maintaining company and battery lounge rooms; non-military performances of bands; mess funds and extraordinary expenses at field training camps.

There are some fifteen National Guard organizations in Chicago including eight regiments of various arms and branches not counting the 33d Division Special Troops as separate units. The total strength is in excess of 6,000 or about 65 per cent of the entire strength of the Illinois National Guard.

The officers of the Chicago National Guard Commission are as follows: Bernard E. Sunny, president; Samuel Insull, jr., and Stuyvesant Peabody, vice presidents; Harold E. Foreman, treasurer, and Hal S. Ray, secretary.

The executive committee is composed of the president and the vice presidents and the following prominent Chicagoans: Maj. Gen. Milton J. Foreman, vice chairman; Robert H. Hunter, Fred W. Sargent, Charles Ward Seabury, Silas H. Strawn, and R. W. Ibenfeldt.

Maj. Gen. Roy D. Keehn, commanding the 33d Division, Illinois National Guard, has very aptly set forth his conception of the proper relations between the National Guard and the community as follows:

"The National Guard should be made a part of the life of the community in which it is located, to attract desirable personnel and to receive the moral and material backing necessary to its well being as a military organization.

"It is equally essential that the National Guard be a civic asset to the community; that its armories be so located and constructed as to provide suitable facilities for use as centers of community activities, high school athletics, civic assemblages, public meetings and entertainments."

Recognize Maj. Gen. White

FEDERAL recognition has been extended to George Ared White as major general of the line, Ore. NG, commanding the 41st Division, which is composed of National Guard troops from the States of Oregon, Idaho, Washington, Montana, and Wyoming.

Gen. White was born in Illinois in 1880, and he has been a member of the Oregon National Guard since 1895. He served on the Mexican border in 1916, and during the World War he was on duty in the Adjutant General's Office, G. H. Q., A. E. F. He has been adjutant general of the State of Oregon since 1915, and commanding general, 82d Brigade, 41st Division, National Guard, since 1923. He attended the Command and General Staff School, National Guard Officers' Course, in 1926, and the Army War College, G-2 Course, in 1928.

Gen. White is, under the name of Ared White, a prominent writer of fiction.

8, 1930, Mrs. Mary Germain Mertz, wife of Rear Adm. Albert Hertz, USN, ret., mother of Mrs. Allen, wife of Capt. Burrell C. Allen, USN.

ORR—Died at Von Ormy, Tex., Feb. 6, 1930, 2nd Lt. Alexander B. Orr, AC, USA.

MONSSEN—Died in the Brooklyn Naval Hospital, N. Y., about Feb. 10, 1930, Lt. Mons Monsen, USA, retired.

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Engagements

COL. GEORGE C. THORPE, USMC, retired, and Mrs. Thorpe of Washington, D. C., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Betty Thorpe, to Mr. Arthur Pack, commercial secretary of the British Embassy. The marriage will take place in the early Spring. Mr. Pack is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pack of London. He was educated at the University of London. Entering the British Government service in 1911, Mr. Pack has held various appointments under the crown and has been attached to the embassy in Washington since 1925.

Lt. Col. Alfred Brandt, USA, and Mrs. Brandt of Ft. Benning, Ga., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Sue Bosworth, to Second Lieutenant Hayden Young Grubbs, USA.

Miss Brandt was graduated from Leavenworth High School in the class of 1926, and later studied at the American University in Washington. She is a member of the Straight Eight Club of Ft. Benning.

Lt. Grubbs is the son of Mrs. Jennie Grubbs, of Jackson City, Kentucky. He is a graduate of West Point in the class of 1925.

No definite date has been set for the wedding which will be in the early Summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clinton Reed of Richmond, Va., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Paul to Lt. Albert Walker Johnson, 6th Cav., USA, stationed at Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.

Miss Reed is the sister of Lt. Charles Hancock Reed, Cav., USA.

Capt. Charles Waldemar Seifert,

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Weddings.

A VERY pretty and quiet wedding was solemnized Jan. 29 at the quarters of Maj. and Mrs. H. P. Makel, USA, on Colon Beach, C. Z., when Maj. Brooke Dodson, USA, and Miss Mae Blanchard were united in marriage by Rev. E. J. Cooper.

Mrs. Dodson is the daughter of the late Dr. Peter Blanchard, M. D., of New York City. Maj. Dodson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Dodson of Spencer, W. Va.

Palms and white flowers formed an altar at which the ceremony took place in the living room. The Episcopal ring ceremony was used.

Miss Winifred Shea acted as maid of honor and Mr. John A. Ward as best man.

The bride was most attractive in a simple gown of white chiffon made with long lines and carried a bouquet of white rose buds.

The maid of honor wore a flowered georgette dress. Maj. Makel gave the bride away.

After the wedding a reception was held and a buffet supper served. The

USA, announces the engagement of his daughter, Cleo Waldemar, to Lt. Emil J. Peterson, USA.

Lt. Peterson, class of '24, is with the 11th Engineers, Corozal, C. Z.

No arrangements have been made for the wedding.

table on which the three tiered wedding cake was cut had a large bowl of yellow flowers in the center of the table and tall yellow tapers in silver candles. A miniature bride and groom graced the center of the cake.

Maj. Dodson has been on duty at Colon Hospital for four years, and during that time has made a host of friends among civilian circles as well as Army and Navy.

The wedding of Miss Helen Benton Stonebraker, niece of Capt. G. Livingston Thompson, USA, and Mrs. Thompson, to Capt. Marion Carson, Cav., USA, took place Wednesday, February 12, at four o'clock in St. John's Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.

The bride's gown was of parchment satin fashioned in the prevailing mode. The cap and veil were an heirloom of rosepoint lace, and she carried a bouquet of calla lilies.

Miss Dorothy Tyng, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. F. C. Tyng, was maid of honor. She was becomingly gowned in an orchid and pink frock, with shoes and hat to match, and carried an old fashioned nosegay.

Capt. William Donaldson of West Point was best man. The ushers also of West Point included Capt. Lloyd Durfee, Capt. Frank Carr, Capt. William Reinburg and Capt. Leo Warner.

A small reception for the bridal party and immediate friends of the family followed the ceremony.

Capt. and Mrs. Carson will be at (Please turn to Page 574)

Bishop Brent Memorial

PROGRESS is being made with the plans for the memorial to Bishop Charles Henry Brent. Maj. Gen. William G. Rivers, president of the Board of Trustees, reports subscriptions have reached the \$80,000 mark, although the first public announcement for the fund was only made on Jan. 18. It is hoped to secure a total of \$1,000,000 for the memorial.

Friends and admirers of Bishop Brent and his life work will be interested in a few of the numerous tributes to Bishop Brent which have been sent to the Bishop Brent Fund organization.

A talk which Gen. Rivers had with Bishop Brent 20 years ago was recalled in which the general said, "You have not had a large amount of great buildings but see what you have done, you saw the crying need of medical care here and put up a hospital of wood and galvanized iron; the Government follows your example and builds stone hospitals in Manila, Ilo-Ilo and Zamboanga; other organizations are doing likewise. You are always the pioneer, showing others what to do and how to do it. That applies in many ways. I can hardly tell you just what I hear and feel. Don't you see that you are continually doing a big work just by living here? Why, you show us how to live!"

Hon. Frank B. Kellogg, former Secretary of State, writes:

"The death of Bishop Brent was a loss to the nation and to the world. He was a great figure not only in the church but in civic life. His activities and services for his country marked him as one of the leading men in this country."

"I knew him intimately and had the opportunity to know his devotion to the great work for peace. During the negotiation and ratification of the anti-War Pact he was one of its strongest supporters, and I received from him encouragement and inspiration."

"It is good to know that there are among Bishop Brent's friends who will carry out his wishes expressed so modestly—that those he deemed worthy of a memorial that it be a continuance of his educational work among the Moros. It is also gratifying to know that the Bishop Brent Memorial organization plans to aid, as far as funds will permit, other undertakings which were dear to the heart of Bishop Brent who was truly a world-wide Bishop for everybody."

Gen. John J. Pershing wrote:

"Bishop Brent's work in the Philippine Islands stands out as the most important contribution to the cause of Christianity made there at any time. To lead the native population to better things was very near his heart. His devotion to the ideals and obliga-

Personals

MAJ. GEN. LYTLE BROWN, Chief of Engineers, and Brig. Gen. Francis H. Pope and Louis H. Bash, Assistants to the Quartermaster General, were the guests of honor at the weekly exhibition ride held at Ft. Myer on Friday, Feb. 7, 1930.

Following the ride guests were entertained at an informal tea dance held in the Post Ballroom.

The many friends of Mrs. Starr Moulton, wife of Maj. Moulton, on duty at Fitzsimons General Hospital, will be pleased to know that she is convalescing satisfactorily from pneumonia at their Park Court Apts., 3030 E Seventh Avenue, Denver, Colo.

Mr. Charles Edward Quincy of Boston Mass., arrived in Denver to be with her sister, Mrs. Starr Moulton, during her recent illness, and plans to spend several months with her.

Capt. and Mrs. John D. Robnett, SC, USA, House F, Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a grandson, Alfred Reed Peffey, Jr., born in Shanghai, China, on February 5, to Lt. and Mrs. Alfred Reed Peffey, USMC. Mrs. Peffey was formerly Miss Margery Idaline Robnett.

Capt. Maitland Bottoms, USA, and Mrs. Bottoms of Ft. Monroe, Va., announce the birth of a son, James Willard, born Feb. 2.

Lt. Harold Brown, USA, and Mrs. Brown announce the birth of a son, William Grover Brown, born on Feb. 1 at Selfridge Field, Mich.

Mrs. Russell C. Langdon, president of the Society of Sponsors of the United States Navy, entertained the members of the Northeastern Chapter of the Society at luncheon on the sixth of February at her apartment in East Orange, N. J. After the luncheon there were informal addresses on several subjects of historical interest.

The many friends of Audrey Dale, daughter of Col. Frederick A. Dale, USA, and Mrs. Dale, of New York City, will be glad to know that she is leading lady in "Apron Strings," a comedy by Dorrance Davis and staged by Earl Booth. She plays opposite Roger Pryor, and Jefferson De Angelis.

This is Miss Dale's first appearance in a dramatic show as she has always done musical comedy.

Hail Chapel Architecture

Ft. Snelling (Special)—Considered as the finest example of architecture of its type erected in Minnesota during the last five years, the Ft. Snelling chapel has been awarded a diploma by the Minnesota chapter of the American Institute of Architects. The diploma was received from the headquarters of the State chapter in Minneapolis by the commanding officer and will be placed in the chapel.

The chapel was erected in 1927 and 1928 during the time the post was commanded by Col. W. E. Welsh, by raising funds partly at Ft. Snelling but chiefly from contributions of civilians throughout the State.

tions of Christianity was Christ-like. It was an inspiration and a privilege to be associated with this distinguished churchman in his work. His love for the Army and his influence upon its personnel in those days was very great. I recall with deep satisfaction my close personal relations with him, and am glad to have been of some small assistance to him in his undertaking, especially in the Moro Province."

The national headquarters of The Bishop Brent Fund is at 6 East 41st Street. The treasurer is J. P. Morgan; the assistant treasurer is John S. Leech, care of J. P. Morgan & Co., 23 Wall Street, New York City; and the secretary is Curtis J. Marr, who will give additional information concerning the details of the Bishop Brent Memorial undertaking to any one who desires it.

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ARMY

WEST POINT, N. Y.
Feb. 13, 1930

THE past week at the garrison has been a very busy one and included several interesting dinners given during the week, as well as a great many preceding the masquerade dance held in Cullum Memorial Hall on Friday evening.

Maj. Gen. William R. Smith was host at a dinner given on Monday in honor of Brig. Gen. Edward L. King of Washington, D. C.

Col. and Mrs. Clifton C. Carter gave a dinner also on Monday evening honoring Col. and Mrs. Warren W. Whiteside, who will soon leave the post for their new station in Washington, D. C.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. Alexander G. Gillespie gave a dinner on Tuesday for six. Another dinner on Tuesday was that given by Lt. Col. and Mrs. Walter K. Wilson.

On Wednesday Lt. Col. and Mrs. Wilson had as their guests for dinner Col. and Mrs. Clifton C. Carter, Rex H. Rhoades and Maj. and Mrs. Homer M. Groninger.

Before the masquerade dance on Friday Miss Katharine Smith was hostess at dinner for 19.

A "Dutch Treat" dinner given at the Officers' Club before the dance was enjoyed by Maj. and Mrs. William R. Smith, Col. and Mrs. Clifton C. Carter, Lt. Col. and Mrs. William E. Morrison, Robert C. Richardson, Clayton E. Wheat, Chauncey L. Fenton, Alexander G. Gillespie, Otto L. Brunzell, Maj. and Mrs. Thomas E. Scott, Jesse I. Sloan, Homer M. Groninger, Charles D. Hartman, Harold E. Miner, Paul W. Beade, Fred B. Inglis and Mr. and Mrs. John Buchanan of Warrenton, Va.

Another "no host" dinner was given before the hop at the quarters of Maj. and Mrs. Charles K. Nulsen.

Capt. and Mrs. Edward W. Timberlake had 18 guests for dinner on this occasion.

Lt. and Mrs. George M. Badger entertained at dinner for ten.

Lt. and Mrs. Edgar H. Snodgrass had as their guests on Friday Mr. and Mrs. Ketsel and Mr. Hardeman of Newburg, Cts., and Mrs. Donovan Swanton, Francis A. Macon, Jr., and Anthony J. Tourat.

The largest dinner given preceding the dance was that given by Lt. and Mrs. Francis B. Kane and Lt. and Mrs. Gordon E. Textor as joint hosts at the Rivercrest Hotel.

Lt. and Mrs. George M. Badger entertained recently for six.

On Saturday evening Lt. and Mrs. William W. Bessel, Jr., honored Mrs. James B. Cullum, Jr., and Miss Mollie Cullum, at dinner.

Lt. and Mrs. Donald A. Fay have had as their guests Lt. Forrest E. Cookson and Lt. and Mrs. J. D. Frederick of Ft. Wadsworth, New York. On Saturday evening they entertained at dinner for them.

Mrs. James B. Cullum, Jr., and Miss Mollie Cullum of Sewickley, Pa., recently passed several days at the Thayer Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Johnson of Maplewood, N. J., have been guests of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Walter K. Wilson.

Chap. William L. Fisher of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William R. Smith.

Miss Betsy Sladen of Baltimore, Md., is the guest of Miss Katharine Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. John Buchanan of Warrenton, Va., are the guests of Chap. and Mrs. Arthur B. Kinsolving.

Mrs. Frank N. Roberts has returned to the post, having passed several months at her home in Topeka, Kans., where she was called by the illness of her mother, Mrs. H. M. McCoy.

Mrs. William B. Kenworthy and her daughter, Miss Mollie Pritchett of Washington, D. C., are the guests of Lt. and Mrs. Donald A. Fay.

Lt. and Mrs. Gordon E. Textor have had as their guests Miss Gallagher and Mr. Warren, of Ithaca, N. Y.

FT. BENNING, GA.

Feb. 13, 1930

AN announcement of interest to Ft. Benning is that of the approaching marriage of Miss Alice Miriam Platt to Lt. George Arthur Hadsell, Jr., which will take place Feb. 18, in the First Presbyterian Church, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Lt. Hadsell was stationed at Ft. Benning as a student in the company officers' class of 1927-28.

The officers and ladies of the 2d battalion 1st Tank Regiment, held their dance at Biglerville Saturday evening, Feb. 8, from 9 to 12:00.

Lt. and Mrs. Norman Caum have as their guest Miss Josephine Dunn, of Great Falls, Montana.

Many lovely parties are being planned to honor this attractive visitor.

Lt. and Mrs. Caum have given a series of informal suppers to compliment Miss Dunn; the first was given on Sunday evening and the second on Wednesday evening.

The officers and ladies of Ft. Benning attended a Valentine dance sponsored by

the Cotillion Club of Columbus, Feb. 12, at the Country Club.

This was the largest dance given by the Cotillion Club during the year and was one of the outstanding social affairs of the season.

Weede Meyer's orchestra furnished music. Singing and entertainment consisting of comedy songs, trios, quartettes, and ensemble singing added to their music.

Lt. and Mrs. Rothwell Brown and daughter, Virginia, have returned to their quarters in Block 16, after having spent the past two months in Washington as the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rothwell Brown and Maj. and Mrs. D. J. Hayes.

Miss Katharine Kingman, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Ralph Kingman, left Sunday afternoon for Washington, D. C., where she is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Dan E. Kingman at the Kenesaw.

On Friday, Feb. 14, Miss Kingman will sail from New York aboard the M. S. Saturnia, for Naples. While abroad Miss Kingman will visit Judge and Mrs. Pierre Crabites in Cairo.

Miss Kingman expects to remain abroad until the middle of the summer.

Lt. and Mrs. Joseph Gilbreth have returned to their quarters in Block 16, after a delightful trip visiting relatives in several northern states.

In Washington they were the guests of his parents, Col. and Mrs. J. L. Gilbreth. From there they went to Camp Meade, Camp Monmouth and to Pelham, N. Y., to visit sisters of Mrs. Gilbreth.

Capt. and Mrs. Clifford Perry entertained at a beautifully appointed dinner at their quarters Tuesday night, Feb. 4.

Covers were laid for Maj. and Mrs. Raymond Pearson, Lt. and Mrs. Gabriel, Lt. and Mrs. Robert McKnight, Mrs. Frances C. Miller, Miss Verna Perry and Lt. William Forse.

After dinner an interesting game of bridge was enjoyed.

FT. RILEY, KANS.

Feb. 13, 1930

THE special hop scheduled for Feb. 15, is to be a Valentine Masquerade and will be sponsored by the officers and ladies of the 2d Cavalry.

Mrs. James M. Thompson, of Ft. Leavenworth, sister-in-law of Mrs. Marcus E. Jones, was the honor guest of a very pretty tea given by Mrs. Jones on Tuesday of last week.

Capt. and Mrs. Alva L. Fenn and Lt. and Mrs. Charles Long of Hutchinson, Kans., were the guests of Capt. and Mrs. Fred W. Koester last week-end.

Col. and Mrs. Thomas F. Van Natta were hosts at dinner last Saturday evening for Gen. and Mrs. Abraham G. Lott, Col. and Mrs. Walter S. Grant, Maj. and Mrs. Ira T. Wyche, Capt. and Mrs. Maurice Holmes, Capt. and Mrs. Edward H. Brooks, Lt. and Mrs. Samuel D. Sturgis and Capt. Carl A. G. de Geer (Swedish Army).

The second performance of the Ft. Riley Dramatic Club was presented Friday night, Feb. 7, at the War Department Theater. The first one-act play was entitled, "The Twelve Pound Look" and was extremely well done by Mrs. P. H. Morris, Mrs. R. E. Carmody, Maj. L. H. Hedrick and Lt. V. F. Shaw.

The second play was presented by the Ft. Leavenworth Dramatic Club. The play, entitled "Strange Enticement," was very cleverly done and was written and directed by Maj. John G. Burr.

The players were Miss Ruth Simons, Maj. R. B. Woodruff and Maj. John G. Burr.

The Post Ladies' Bridge Club was entertained Tuesday by Mrs. Daniel E. Murphy.

Mrs. James M. Thompson, of Ft. Leavenworth; Maj. and Mrs. Edward C. McGuire, Capt. and Mrs. Paul H. Morris and Capt. Maurice Rose of Manhattan, Kans., were entertained at dinner on Saturday evening by Maj. and Mrs. Robert E. M. Goolrick.

FT. DOUGLAS, UTAH

Feb. 8, 1930

MRS. H. C. PRICE has as her guest her sister, Mrs. A. F. Damon, Jr., of Lansdowne, Pa. One of the delightful late winter functions was a tea dance given in honor of Mrs. Damon by Mrs. Price, on Feb. 8.

Mrs. C. K. Krams, Mrs. Walter J. Muller and Mrs. Durand C. Summers were hostesses at the regular meeting of the Ladies Luncheon Club on Feb. 3, at the Officers' Club. Bridge followed the luncheon. First prize was won by Mrs. Oscar K. Wolber, and second prize by Mrs. Ralph Bassett.

Utah Food Products Company were hosts to officers of the post and their families at a delightful dinner held at the Officers' Club Friday evening, Feb. 7.

POSTS and STATIONS

FT. MONMOUTH, N. J.

Feb. 13, 1930

MRS. F. G. MILLER entertained at bridge at her home on Riverview Avenue, Oceanport, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 6. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. R. T. Schlosberg, Mrs. H. L. Vitthum and Mrs. E. L. Clewell. Those present included Mrs. A. S. Cowan, Mrs. S. B. Akin, Mrs. L. E. Ryder, Mrs. E. L. Clewell, Mrs. Kendall, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. H. P. Browning, Mrs. C. W. Wood, Mrs. Carter W. Clarke, Mrs. R. T. Schlosberg, Mrs. Louis Canlier, Mrs. N. L. Baldwin, Mrs. T. H. McCauley, Mrs. Garland C. Black, Mrs. H. L. Vitthum, Mrs. F. T. Gillespie, Mrs. I. H. Treest, Mrs. C. H. Mitchell, Mrs. F. E. Gaillard and Mrs. J. A. Pierce.

Mrs. I. E. Treest entertained at bridge Thursday afternoon, Feb. 6, at her home in West Long Branch. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. K. B. Lawton, Mrs. L. F. Lawrence, Mrs. T. H. McCauley and Mrs. C. L. Strike. Others present included Mrs. A. S. Cowan, Mrs. L. C. Baird, Miss Martha Baird, Mrs. S. B. Akin, Mrs. L. R. Ryder, Mrs. C. W. Lewis, Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. J. E. Raymond, Mrs. Garland C. Black, Mrs. D. P. Wood, Mrs. N. J. Bacheller, Mrs. E. Engel and Mrs. E. L. Clewell.

Maj. and Mrs. S. B. Akin entertained at dinner and bridge Saturday evening in their quarters at Ft. Monmouth. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. J. E. Raymond, Lt. F. H. Lanahan and Lt. J. W. Green. Those present included Capt. and Mrs. L. F. Lawrence, Capt. and Mrs. H. L. Vitthum, Capt. and Mrs. Robert Robinson, Lt. and Mrs. C. H. Mitchell, Lt. and Mrs. J. E. Raymond, Lt. and Mrs. F. H. Lanahan, and Lt. and Mrs. J. W. Green.

The Little Silver Bridge Club met Thursday evening, Feb. 6, at the home of Lt. and Mrs. C. W. Wood of Lake Drive, Oceanport. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. K. B. Lawton, Maj. Cedric W. Lewis and Mrs. I. H. Treest.

The Officers' Club gave a bridge party Friday night, Feb. 7. The committee in charge of the affair was composed of Capt. H. L. Vitthum, Lt. G. A. Bicher and Lt. T. T. Mayo.

Representatives of the Pathe Newsreel Corporation, New York City, were at Ft. Monmouth Friday, Feb. 7, and made sound pictures of the Signal Corps homing pigeon activities at the fort. The pictures will be used in the Pathe Weekly News Reel and in addition certain selected "shots" will be used in a feature picture now being filmed.

JEFFERSON BARRACKS, MO.

Feb. 10, 1930

CAPT. AND MRS. ARTHUR G. HUTCHINSON were host and hostess at a bridge dinner at their quarters Wednesday evening, Feb. 5. The guests were: Col. and Mrs. John Randolph, Maj. and Mrs. Thomas Smith, Maj. and Mrs. Arthur C. Tipton, Capt. and Mrs. Paolo H. Seprati, Capt. and Mrs. Richard M. Sandusky, Capt. and Mrs. Clifford D. Overfelt, Lt. and Mrs. Edwin M. Sutherland, Lt. and Mrs. Claude D. Collins, Lt. and Mrs. Nathan A. Smith, Lt. and Mrs. Raymond W. Odor and Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Pollack.

Lt. Stanley Storm, Infantry Reserve, of Shelbyville, Ill., was the guest of Lt. and Mrs. Howard H. Hasting the first of the week.

Mrs. E. Y. Underwood, and Miss Elizabeth Underwood, of Washington, D. C., mother and sister respectively of Maj. Arthur R. Underwood, departed last week by motor for Columbus, Ga. They have been visiting Maj. and Mrs. Underwood for several weeks.

Mrs. Welborn B. Griffith, wife of Lt. Griffith, returned Friday from a visit with her parents, Maj. and Mrs. D. H. Torrey, of Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

Mr. J. H. Bateman, of Memphis, Tenn., was the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Arthur C. Hutchinson the first of the week.

The Bi-Monthly Bridge Club met Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 4, with Mrs. Clifford D. Overfelt. Those attending were: Mrs. Arthur C. Tipton, Mrs. Arthur G. Hutchinson, Mrs. Thomas L. Smith, Mrs. Paolo H. Seprati, Mrs. Claude D. Collins, Mrs. Edwin M. Sutherland and Mrs. Arthur L. Moore.

Capt. Edwin W. Grimmer has returned from a five-day leave of absence which was granted him following a month of special duty at Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

The officers and ladies of the post will give a Valentine dance Feb. 14, at Atkinson Hall. There will be several dinners preceding the dance.

Lt. and Mrs. James B. Howat have returned from a visit at Nashville, Tenn., and will remain in St. Louis with Mrs. Howat's aunt, Miss Isabella Skinner, at 622 South Hanley Avenue.

The regular bi-monthly meeting of the Garrison Bridge Club was held Friday evening, Feb. 7, at the Officers' Club.

Lt. and Mrs. Howard H. Hasting will entertain informally at tea Sunday afternoon at their quarters.

Capt. Aubrey T. Bassett has returned to duty after having been confined in the Station Hospital for several weeks with pneumonia.

Mrs. S. Y. Picker, of St. Louis, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Howard H. Hasting, wife of Lt. Hasting.

Lt. John D. Eason, who has been convalescing in the station hospital for several days following a short illness, has returned to duty.

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NAVY

NORFOLK, VA.

Feb. 15, 1930

CAPT. AND MRS. WARD K. WORTMAN entertained Feb. 8 at a dinner party given at the Country Club, preceding the week-end dance, in honor of Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. McGowan and Lt. and Mrs. Harry Corman. Covers were laid for 25 guests. Capt. and Mrs. Wortman also entertained on Jan. 31 at a dinner given at their home in Mowbray Arch.

Capt. and Mrs. F. E. Sellers entertained on Feb. 7 at their home in the Naval Hospital at a buffet supper and card party. Bridge was played at five tables.

Comdr. and Mrs. John W. W. Cumming entertained on Feb. 5 at their home in the Naval Base at a supper party followed by bridge. Covers were laid for 32 guests.

Mrs. Randolph Carter Berkley entertained on the afternoon of Feb. 8 at a card party given at the Norfolk Country Club.

Lt. Comdr. Herbert S. Jones was host recently at his home in the Thornton Apartment at a dinner party given in honor of Miss Julie Campbell of New York, who is the guest of Lt. and Mrs. Malcolm Gossett. Covers were laid for eight.

One of the most interesting events of the month in Navy circles was the dinner given on Feb. 14 in the History Building at the Base. Mrs. George Preston Shamer and Mrs. H. E. Jenkins were hostesses and among those entertaining were Capt. and Mrs. Walter H. Allen, Comdr. and Mrs. H. G. Bowerfind, Col. and Mrs. E. B. Manwaring and Lt. and Mrs. Lamar Wise.

Plans are being formulated at the Naval Base for the Navy Relief Ball to be given in April for the benefit of widows and orphans of service men. Mrs. William K. Riddle is chairman and presided over a preliminary meeting in the Lyceum on Feb. 13.

Mrs. H. P. Perrill, Miss Martha Perrill, Mrs. W. L. Maxson and Mrs. H. N. Hill were hostesses for the first game in the fourth bridge tournament played in the Officers' Club in the Navy Yard on Feb. 10. There were seven tables of auction and contract.

Members of the Naval Base Golf Club entertained Feb. 12 at a tea given in the Base Lyceum. Mrs. C. F. Macklin, Mrs. James Kirkpatrick and Mrs. R. D. Edwards were hostesses and a number of bridge games preceded the tea.

Miss Florence King entertained on Feb. 8, at a bridge party given at the home of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Ernest J. King, at the Naval Air Station. Auction was played at four tables with a prize for the top score at each table. Miss King's guests included daughters of officers stationed at the Base.

Mrs. J. W. W. Cumming entertained Feb. 7 at a bridge party given at the Naval Base, followed by a tea. Auction was played at five tables with prizes for top scores.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. George E. Brandt entertained Feb. 8 at a supper party followed by bridge. Covers were laid for 16.

Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. J. A. Byrne were hosts on Feb. 10 at their home in Washington Street, Portsmouth, at a card party given in honor of Capt. and Mrs. W. B. Croka and Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. C. H. Savage. Their guests played at four tables.

Lt. and Mrs. F. J. Legere entertained on Feb. 8 at a bridge party. Auction was played at four tables.

Lt. Clyde H. Harstel entertained the members of his bridge club on the evening of Feb. 10 at his quarters in the Marine Barracks. His guests played at five tables.

Mrs. H. N. Hill entertained on Feb. 6 at a bridge luncheon given at her home on Afton Parkway, Cradock. Mrs. Hill's guests played at two tables.

Mrs. C. W. Brunson entertained on Feb. 6 at her home in the Colonial Apartments, Portsmouth, at a card party given in honor of Mrs. C. H. Savage, who, with Lt. Savage, will leave soon for Washington to make their home. Bridge was played at five tables.

Mrs. Wilbur Briggs entertained the members of her card club Feb. 11, at her home in the Naval Base.

Col. and Mrs. Henry C. Jewett left Feb. 5 for New York from where they sailed on Feb. 6 on the SS Nereffa for Trinidad, where they will visit Mrs. Jewett's cousin, Lady Milne-Holme at her country home, a fine Riviera estate. Col. and Mrs. Jewett will also spend some time in St. Thomas, St. Kitt's, St. Croix, Martinique and Guadeloupe.

Mrs. Guy H. Burrage and Miss Charlotte Burrage left Feb. 7 for West Point, N. Y., where they will spend a week and attend the hops at the USMA.

Mrs. James McMenamin and Mrs. Lawrence W. Curtin, who have been visiting Col. Raymond Dupuy at Palm Beach, Fla., are now spending some time in Cuba. Mrs. McMenamin and Mrs. Curtin will sail this week for New York and will spend several days there before returning to Norfolk.

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FT. BARRANCAS, FLA.
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Feb. 11, 1930

CAPT. AND MRS. FENTON G. EPLING acted as host and hostess Tuesday evening, Feb. 4, at their quarters, when they entertained the Ft. Barrancas Bridge Club. There were five tables at play and a prize for high score was given at each. These were won by Maj. Milne, Mrs. F. N. Parsons, Mrs. J. H. Smith and Mrs. Wing. The guests included Maj. and Mrs. L. A. Milne, Lt. and Mrs. F. N. Parson, Lt. and Mrs. J. H. Smith, Maj. and Mrs. C. K. Wing, Capt. and Mrs. W. E. Ryan, Capt. and Mrs. H. W. Lins, Lt. and Mrs. G. J. Kelley, Lt. and Mrs. H. J. Vandersluis, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Freeborn, Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Brown.

Lt. Howard J. Vandersluis returned Friday, Jan. 30, from Ft. Benning, Ga., where he has been pursuing a months course in mess management at the school for bakers and cooks. Lts. L. M. Guyer and W. F. McKee are continuing their course for another month. They too will return to Barrancas upon the completion of the practical part of the course.

Lt. and Mrs. J. A. Vandersluis have as their guest Mrs. Vandersluis's parents Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Freeborn, who arrived from Fergus Falls, Minn., Jan. 30.

Mrs. George Kelley entertained at her quarters Friday, Jan. 30, with an afternoon bridge party. The guests included Mrs. J. D. Brown, Mrs. E. A. Kinder-Vater, Mrs. W. H. Burns, Mrs. Felix N. Parsons, Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. Arnold Gladden, Mrs. Jesse Hannon, Mrs. Edward Ryan, Miss Julia Brown, Miss Elaine Dickinson, Miss Clara Stokes and Mrs. H. I. Shannon. There were three tables in play. High score prizes for each table were won by Mrs. H. I. Shannon, Mrs. E. A. Kinder-Vater and Miss Elaine Dickinson.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX.

Feb. 8, 1930

THE aviation smart set are looking forward to the Woman's Air Corps Bridge Club's annual cabaret dance, which is to be given on Feb. 14 at the Kelly Field Officers' Club. This affair promises to be one of the smart events on the Air Corps' social calendar. Talented officers and ladies of the Air Corps will "put on" a cabaret show consisting of song and dance acts, clever little skits and other forms of cabaret entertainment. A number of dinner parties are being arranged before the cabaret.

Maj. and Mrs. C. L. Tinker of Kelly Field entertained on the evening of the 24th with a charmingly appointed dinner party at the San Antonio Country Club. The table at which the 17 guests were seated was decorated with spring flowers and ferns. Following dinner the party attended the dance at the Kelly Field Officers' Club.

The study club of the Air Corps Woman's Club met on Monday, Jan. 2, with Mrs. Rogers as hostess.

Maj. and Mrs. Reginald Ducat and Maj. and Mrs. Harrison will entertain guests at the Woman's Air Corps Bridge Club cabaret dance on Feb. 14.

Lt. and Mrs. G. H. Beverly of Kelly Field complimented the members of the Kelly Field and the Wichita Falls polo teams with a dinner-dance on the evening of the 25th at the Gunter Cave.

Mrs. S. Landers entertained with a luncheon in the Rose Room of the Menger Hotel on Sunday, Feb. 2, in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Trunk. There were 40 guests invited.

Capt. T. M. Jervy returned to Kelly Field on the 26th, after attending a conference in Washington, D. C.

On Jan. 31 the officers and ladies of Brooks Field entertained with a hop in the Officers' Club.

On Jan. 31 Maj. and Mrs. Shepler Fitzgerald entertained 30 guests at dinner. After dinner the party attended the hop.

On Jan. 31 Lt. and Mrs. Harry C. Wisehart entertained with a dinner preceding the officers' hop. There were 16 guests.

One of the smart army affairs of the day was Mrs. Reginald Ducat's luncheon at the Country Club followed by bridge in her quarters at Kelly Field. A centerpiece of lavender and pink blossoms adorned the table.

Mrs. C. D. Wheeler of Brooks Field has as her guests her mother and sister, Mrs. Claybrook and Miss Claybrook.

Mrs. W. T. Larsen will entertain at luncheon on the 28th in her quarters at Kelly Field. The guests will later attend the ladies bridge club.

One of the prettiest parties of the season was given on the 23rd at Polly's, when Mrs. E. H. DeFord of Kelly Field honored her guest, Mrs. C. N. Bigelow, of Adel, Iowa, with a lunch party. Sweet peas and a mixture of early spring flowers centered the table.

CHANUTE FIELD, ILL.

Feb. 10, 1930

MRS. SOUSA was hostess at a charming bridge luncheon. The tables were prettily decorated with sweet peas. Mrs. Voss, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Ballard, Mrs. Heald, Mrs. Laughinghouse, Mrs.

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NAVY

NORFOLK, VA.

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Mrs. H. E. Lackey, who has been visiting her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Peck, in Washington, returned this week to her home in the Naval Base.

Mrs. A. F. Huntington has returned to her home in the Naval Base after spending a short while in Washington with friends.

Mrs. Cecil Sherman Baker has also returned to her home in the Base after a short stay in Washington.

Miss Jane Patrick is visiting friends in Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Capt. and Mrs. Joseph Lea Ward of Quantico, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. James Lowry Lea.

ANNAPOLIS, MD.

Feb. 14, 1930

THE February hop sponsored by the Officer's Club of the Naval Academy took place on the evening of Friday, Feb. 14, in Mahan Hall, and was preceded by a number of dinner parties.

Among those who entertained were Comdr. and Mrs. Worrell R. Carter, who gave a buffet supper for 60 guests.

Comdr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith were hosts on Tuesday evening at a dinner party.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles W. Eliason gave the first of a series of dinners on Saturday evening, Feb. 8. Their second dinner was given on Tuesday evening, also at their home on Porter Road.

Lt. James H. McWilliams entertained at a dinner at the Officers' Club on Sunday evening, Feb. 8, in honor of Miss Judy Converse of Greenwich, Conn., who has been the guest of Comdr. and Mrs. William N. Richardson, Jr.

Comdr. and Mrs. John B. Pollard, MC, USN, entertained at a delightful buffet supper on Thursday, Feb. 13, at their quarters on Rogers Road, at which 30 guests were present.

Prof. and Mrs. Carroll Storrs Alden entertained at dinner on the evening of Feb. 7, in honor of Prof. William E. Linglebach of the University of Pennsylvania, who lectured to the midshipmen of the first class that evening.

Lt. and Mrs. Charles Lee Andrews have had as guests Dr. Percy T. Walden, dean of the freshman class of Yale University, Mrs. Walden and Miss Sally Walden, for whom they entertained informally during their visit.

The second in the series of informal dances sponsored by a number of officers on the station is being held this evening at Carvel Hall. Lt. William S. Heath is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements, and the attendance promises to be greater than the first dance, which was enjoyed by over a hundred guests.

Mrs. Henry C. Dinger left last week for Philadelphia, where she spent a short while before continuing to New York where she joined Mrs. John Halligan, and with her sailed for a two week's visit to Havana, Cuba.

Mrs. W. R. Cooke has been spending the last week in Washington as guest of her sister, Mrs. O. M. Busbee.

Capt. Charles Soule of the USS Bridge was in Annapolis last week and spent several days with Mrs. Soule and young

Disciplinary Barracks, Ft. Jay.

The dance given by the Officers' Club on the evening of Feb. 7 was well attended and was very successful. Prior to the dance there were several dinner parties in the dining rooms of the club.

Col. and Mrs. A. S. Williams entertained 34 guests; Maj. and Mrs. H. M. Van Hook entertained eight guests, and Maj. and Mrs. T. G. Bond gave a small dinner party.

Mrs. Fred L. Lemmon and Mrs. W. B. Brown were the hostesses for the regular monthly dinner and get-together of the 16th Infantry, which was held on Monday evening, Feb. 10, at the Officers' Club. Fifty-two places were laid for the dinner, with red carnations and red candles completing the scheme. Dancing and bridge followed the dinner.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Hanson E. Ely were guests of the N. Y. State Women's Republican Club, at luncheon, at the Hotel Plaza, on Wednesday, Feb. 12.

Maj. and Mrs. Charles T. Harris, Jr., entertained a small group of friends at a dinner party in their quarters on Thursday, Feb. 6.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Robert L. Bullard, retired, were at home to their friends at their residence in New York City, on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 12.

FT. MOULTRIE, S. C.

Feb. 12, 1930

COL. and Mrs. W. P. Coleman entertained at two lovely dinners last week. Wednesday night the guests were Maj. and Mrs. Edwin Mead and Mrs. Arthur McGee. After dinner Col. and Mrs. Coleman took their guests to the opening of the "talkies" at the Ft. Moultrie Theater. Thursday night Col. and Mrs. Coleman had as their guests Comdr. and Mrs. Mallinson, Dr. and Mrs. McElwee, Maj. G. R. Byrd, and Maj. and Mrs. Edwin Mead. White flowers and red candles made a lovely centerpiece for the table.

Col. and Mrs. W. P. Coleman have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Martin P. Rice, advertising and broadcasting man- (Please turn to Page 574)

son, who have taken a house at 55 Franklin Street.

Col. and Mrs. Theodore Blackstrom have been guests of Maj. and Mrs. William Campbell McCrone at their home at Spa View Heights during the week. The Blackstroms will go from here to Water Valley, Miss., for a leave of absence before returning to Washington.

Comdr. and Mrs. William N. Richardson, Jr., were hosts at a dinner party on Saturday evening, preceding the last performance of the Masqueraders, in honor of their guest, Miss Judy Converse of Greenwich, Conn.

Comdr. Jonas Ingram, who has been Director of Athletics of the Naval Academy for the last three years, will leave Annapolis on Feb. 25, to join the USS Pennsylvania, now in Philadelphia. Mrs. Ingram, her son and daughter, Bill and Mary Birch Ingram, will occupy an apartment at 22 State Circle until June.

Among the future social events being planned is the "Hard Times" party which the members of the class of 1921 will give at the Severn Country Club on Friday evening, Feb. 21.

PUGET SOUND, WASH.

Feb. 10, 1930

ON Jan. 30, Mrs. V. L. Cottman, Mrs. Emil Theiss and Mrs. Harriett W. Brown were joint hostesses at a delightfully appointed dinner.

Comdr. and Mrs. John B. Earle entertained with an informal Sunday night supper on Feb. 2 at their quarters in the Navy Yard.

On Feb. 2, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Lyle S. Pamperin were hosts at an informal supper followed by bridge. Invitations were extended to ten.

Comdr. John B. Earle and Mrs. Earle entertained at dinner followed by bridge on Feb. 5 at their quarters in the Navy Yard. Covers were laid for 12.

Many charming affairs given the past week mark the departure of Lt. W. Dale Quarton, CC, and Mrs. Quarton, who are leaving the station shortly.

On Feb. 4, at the commandant's quarters in the Navy Yard, Rear Adm. and Mrs. Henry J. Ziegemeier entertained informally at dinner in honor of Lt. and Mrs. Quarton.

In compliment to Lt. and Mrs. Quarton, Lt. Antonio S. Pitre, CC, USN, and Mrs. Pitre, entertained with a bridge supper on Feb. 3 at their home in Bremerton.

Lt. and Mrs. Quarton were the guests of honor at the bridge dinner given by Lt. Comdr. Frederick E. Haeberle, CC, and Mrs. Haeberle on Feb. 5 at their quarters in the Navy Yard. The guests numbered 22.

For the pleasure of Mrs. Quarton, Miss Anne Gayler was hostess at a charming bridge luncheon on Feb. 5 at her home in the Navy Yard. Invitations were extended to Mmes. Richard S. Hooker, Sherman S. Kennedy, Claude W. Carr, George D. Wetzel, Frederick E. Haeberle, Earle W. Mills, Antonio S. Pitre, Charles T. Dickeman, Edwin D. Miller, Arthur D. Challacombe, Lawrence H. Forst, Henry A. Ingram, V. L. Cottman, Ernest L. Gayler, Thomas T. Beattie and Miss Caryl Elliott.

As a farewell to Lt. and Mrs. Quarton, Mrs. V. L. Cottman, Mrs. Emil Theiss and Mrs. Harriett W. Brown entertained a large group of friends at the dinner dance at the Commissioned Officers' Mess on Feb. 6.

MARE ISLAND, CALIF.

Feb. 12, 1930

AMONG the farewell affairs honoring Capt. and Mrs. Henry A. Orr, was the delightful dinner party at which Comdr. and Mrs. Frank J. Wille entertained at their quarters Saturday, Feb. 1. The guests were seated at two large tables which were effectively decorated with Chinese narcissus and green candles. Following the dinner there was bridge.

Comdr. Orr has been in charge of the naval ammunition depot at Mare Island for the past two years and will take command of the USS Relief Feb. 18. Mrs. Orr will make her home at 101 B Street, Vallejo.

Comdr. Charles Lee Brand has been elected President of the Officers' Club, and will fill the vacancy created by the detachment of Comdr. Henry A. Orr. Capt. William N. Best, USMC, has been elected chairman of the tournament committee.

Comdr. B. K. Lewis, Mrs. Lewis and their three children have arrived in Vallejo. The Lewis's will occupy Quarters A-43.

A large number of officers, their wives and guests were present at a meeting of the Sojourners, Feb. 4, at the Marine Barracks. One of the speakers of the evening was Col. D. S. Wagstaff, USA, retired, of San Francisco. Lt. J. G. Atkins of the V-4 was initiated.

Lt. Comdr. Lisle F. Small has received orders to the USS Holland, detaching him May 10.

Comdr. and Mrs. Charles Greene of Quarters "O" have had as their guest Mrs. E. M. Bailey of San Francisco.

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1st Division Notes

THE United States Army Mine Planter "General Ord" with a crew of approximately 30 men is sojourning in the waters of the Harbor Defenses of the Delaware on experimental work. During its three months stay, the members of its crew are quartered and rationed with the 1st Engineers, and are participating in the many social events of the enlisted personnel, scheduled for the winter months.

An enlisted men's dance club has been formed at Ft. DuPont for the purpose of giving a dance every Wednesday evening if possible. This will take the place of the usual bi-weekly dances which have been the features of the winter's entertainments so far.

In a memorandum from the Regimental Commander, Col. Williams, Co. M, 16th Inf. of Ft. Wadsworth, N. Y., is commended for its splendid desertion and absence record during the year 1929. During the past year Co. M has had no desertions and only two men absent without leave.

According to the latest information received, the new barracks for the troops of the 16th Inf. stationed at Ft. Jay, N. Y., will be formally turned over to the Government by the contractor in April, 1930. The troops will move into the barracks during the early part of May, 1930. When the new barracks are occupied and the old quarters are razed, Ft. Jay, will be without doubt, one of the smartest appearing show posts in the entire country.

Capt. J. J. Nealon, coach of the 16th Infantry rifle team at Ft. Jay, reports excellent progress in the preliminary training of the squad who are trying out for the Small Bore Team. Capt. Nealon stated that the squad is in good shape and judging from its preliminary firing the record as established by the 1929 champions will be a matter of history when his men have completed the many matches he has accepted challenges for.

The 26th Infantry of Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., emerged victorious over the 3d Infantry in the small bore rifle match. Tentative scores show that Plattsburg Barracks won by a margin of 20 points. Targets are subject to check and correction before the score may be determined.

At the monthly smoker of the Ft. Hamilton officers, Maj. Shutan, the 1st Division Quartermaster, gave a 45 minute talk on Cuban-American relations. This was most interesting as Maj. Shutan has spent a number of years in Cuba as military attaché and is well informed on Cuban affairs. Following Maj. Shutan's talk, bridge was played and refreshments consisting of hot dogs, coffee and cocoa served.

The informal enlisted men's dance held at Ft. Jay Feb. 3rd proved itself to be the biggest and best ever held on the post. A large number of charming young ladies attended and the bright dresses of the ladies were far superior in number to the O. D. and bright brass of the garrison.

A real "down-on-the-farm" barn dance is to be held at Ft. Jay Feb. 18th. This will be the second of the dances extraordinary to be held under the new recreation policy of Col. A. S. Williams and, according to Lt. C. A. Welker, recreation officer, it will prove to be more popular than even the highly successful carnival dance held recently.

Upon the occasion of their departures for Washington, D. C., Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Hugh A. Drum were the guests of honor at a dance held at Ft. Wadsworth. The decorations were significant of Gen. Drum's recent appointment to the office of Inspector General of the Army. Star lamps twinkled overhead and favors in the shape of small drums were distributed. A snow scene in silhouette and a bright moon which sailed across the ceiling as the evening progressed were very effective.

The music furnished by the augmented 18th Infantry Orchestra. Brig. Gen. W. P. Jackson, at present in command of the 1st Division, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Otto B. Rosenbaum, Col. and Mrs. Albert S. Williams, Col. and Mrs. W. B. Graham, Col. and Mrs. George Burleigh, Col. and Mrs. William K. Naylor, and Col. and Mrs. A. Huguet, were among those present. All agreed that the dance was the most successful ever held at Ft. Wadsworth.

Commissioned in Reserves

APPLICANTS who have accepted appointment in the Army Reserve Corps:

Arizona—E. A. Littlefield, 2nd Lt. Inf.

California—G. W. Earl, 2nd Lt. CA; R. R. Gansneder, 2nd Lt. CA; S. N. Gleis, 2nd Lt. Inf; C. H. Scott, 2nd Lt. CA; C. C. Shaffer, 2nd Lt. Engr; R. C. Van Marter, 2nd Lt. CA; A. E. Wells, II, 2nd Lt. CA; J. D. Ginsberg, 2nd Lt. Inf; C. G. Williams, 1st Lt. Med.

Connecticut—R. E. Costanzo, Capt. Med; H. F. Reichenbach, 1st Lt. Spec. Florida—T. R. Brown, 1st Lt. FA; L. H. Meller, 1st Lt. Dent.

Georgia—J. P. Googe, 2nd Lt. FA; L. B. Magid, Jr., 2nd Lt. Inf; J. W. Scarborough, 2nd Lt. Inf; G. F. Slaughter, 2nd Lt. Inf; W. A. Watkins, 2nd Lt. FA; J. P. Jones, 1st Lt. Dent.

Idaho—S. W. Davis, 2nd Lt. Cav. Illinois—W. A. Andren, 2nd Lt. FA; J. Dougherty, 2nd Lt. Cav; F. L. Engelthaler, 1st Lt. Inf; J. A. Reilly, 2nd Lt. Inf; F. W. Sanford, Jr., 2nd Lt. Inf.

Indiana—R. A. Fleetwood, 1st Lt. Med; R. E. Kinneman, 1st Lt. Med; E. Beebe, 2nd Lt. Inf; P. L. White, 1st Lt. Med.

Iowa—B. A. Williamson, 2nd Lt. MI; C. M. Young, Col. Spec.

Kentucky—J. F. Van Meter, 1st Lt. Med.

Louisiana—E. A. Gueymard, 2nd Lt. Inf; G. J. Springer, 2nd Lt. Inf.

Maryland—T. F. McNeal, 2nd Lt. Inf; W. B. Searls, Capt. Inf.

Massachusetts—A. J. Bullock, 2nd Lt. CA.

Michigan—P. F. Baetcke, 2nd Lt. Inf. F. B. Hemingway, 2nd Lt. CA.

Minnesota—B. E. Grottum, 1st Lt. Inf; T. M. Olson, Capt. FA.

Missouri—V. T. Norton, 2nd Lt. Inf; H. W. Cayton, 1st Lt. Dent; R. C. Coolidge, 2nd Lt. MA; A. L. Stockwell, 1st Lt. Med; G. W. Wilson, 2nd Lt. Engr.

Montana—W. I. Sutherland, Capt. Inf; R. R. Brady, 1st Lt. Med.

New Jersey—J. Bridgman, 2nd Lt. CA; A. E. Coryell, 1st Lt. Inf; C. P. Hendricks, 2nd Lt. Ord; H. H. Longaker, 1st Lt. Spec; H. R. Powell, Capt. Inf.

New Mexico—O. C. Wood, Capt. Cav; J. R. Skillen, Maj. Engr.

New York—H. F. Bartlett, 2nd Lt. Cav; L. W. Bleser, 2nd Lt. CA; L. H. Erichs, Jr., Capt. Inf; H. E. Greene, Jr., 2nd Lt. Cav; H. F. Kalbfus, 2nd Lt. Cav; A. G. Vernon, 2nd Lt. Inf; W. R. Wright, Col. Cav.

North Carolina—C. Barden, Maj. QM. Ohio—C. R. Burns, 2nd Lt. Cav; E. E. Carmichael, 2nd Lt. Inf; R. G. Cummins, 2nd Lt. Cav; G. R. Fout, 2nd Lt. Inf; V. W. Grear, 2nd Lt. Inf; W. A. Gross, 1st Lt. Med; R. S. Gummars, 2nd Lt. CA; E. W. Kastler, 1st Lt. Dent; F. McK. Rogers, 1st Lt. Med; B. S. Taylor, 2nd Lt. Fin.

Oklahoma—R. E. Coleman, 2nd Lt. Inf; E. R. Parnell, 2nd Lt. Inf; R. H. Tarbuton, 2nd Lt. Air.

Oregon—R. J. McKinney, 2nd Lt. Engr; J. W. Fraser, 2nd Lt. MA.

Pennsylvania—L. E. Creighton, Capt. Spec; W. R. Dixon, 2nd Lt. FA; W. W. Kinkel, 2nd Lt. CA; G. B. Knabb, 2nd Lt. Cav; L. L. Krentzlin, Capt. Cav; S. D. Ringsdorf, Maj. FA; H. McI. Duncan, 2nd Lt. CA.

Philippine Islands—D. M. Magbalon, 1st Lt. Med.

Porto Rico—J. M. Negron, Capt. Inf. South Carolina—J. M. Charlotte, 2nd Lt. Inf; J. A. Gaston, 2nd Lt. Inf; C. J. King, 2nd Lt. Inf; J. C. McComb, 2nd Lt. Inf.

Texas—A. P. Hammett, 2nd Lt. Inf; H. E. Luntz, 2nd Lt. CW; A. G. Peden, 2d Lt. Cav; H. D. Pike, 2nd Lt. Fin; S. A. Price, 1st Lt. Med; R. W. Scott, 2nd Lt. Inf.

Utah—E. H. Balch, 1st Lt. FA; W. A. Gudmundson, Capt. FA.

Virginia—M. L. Bolling, Jr.; 2nd Lt. FA; H. H. Rowe, Capt. Vet.

Washington—A. B. McCoy, Capt. Engr; H. L. Phillips, Capt. FA; E. T. Skagen, 2nd Lt. FA.

West Virginia—J. L. Harvey, Capt. Inf.

Wisconsin—E. C. Biesel, 2nd Lt. Cav; L. J. Blanchard, Capt. FA; E. H. Cordingly, 2nd Lt. Inf; F. I. Spangler, 2nd Lt. Inf; H. J. Wiesel, 2nd Lt. Inf.

Wyoming—J. Bond, 2nd Lt. Inf; W. R. Harbaugh, 2nd Lt. Engr.

ful ever held at Ft. Wadsworth.

The rehearsals of the Ft. DuPont dramatic club have been taking place almost daily with the full cast of 26 participating.

The production will be staged about Feb. 14th. This first effort of the dramatic club has created a great deal of interest throughout the post and the surrounding communities.

Against Branch Home

MM. RAMSPECK'S bill to establish branch home of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers in one of the southeastern states has been unfavorably reported on by the Secretary of War. He states that the Director of the Bureau of the Budget advises him that in view of the introduction in Congress of a bill to put into effect the President's recommendations that all veteran's agencies be consolidated, the bill is not in accord with the financial program of the President.

MD Saves \$8,055,036

By manufacturing typhoid and paratyphoid vaccine, mallein, tuberculin and other veterinary products and by making clinico-pathological examinations for the Army, the Army Medical School in the last 13 years has saved the Government a total of \$8,055,036. During this period it produced 56,591 liters of typhoid and paratyphoid vaccine, 4,056,366 production units of mallein, tuberculin and other veterinary products and made 281,684 examinations at a cost of \$1,784,600. Had this work been done by other agencies it is estimated that the total cost would have been \$9,840,036.

The manufacture of serums and vaccines in the laboratory of the Army Medical School, for use among military personnel, had its origin in the epidemic of typhoid fever which played havoc in our military camps during the Spanish-American War. From those unhappy experiences came the searching investigations which resulted in the recommendations of the Reed-Vaughn board on typhoid fever and the report of the Lodge commission.

In the Army intense activity and interest in the control and elimination of typhoid fever continued. Its prevention by the use of vaccines prepared from killed cultures of typhoid bacilli attracted the attention of medical officers of our Army and of foreign armies. In this country Col. Frederick F. Russell, then a member of the Medical Corps and now a director of the Rockefeller Foundation, worked effectively at the problem. Such progress was made that his anti-typhoid vaccine was administered to 830 volunteers from the Army in 1909, and to 16,093 in 1910. Encouraged by the results obtained and gratified with the outcome of its administration to a division mobilized in Texas in the Spring of 1911, the War Department in the latter part of that year made anti-typhoid vaccination compulsory in the Regular Army. And as such it has remained up to the present, including the period of our participation in the World War, when about 4,000,000 persons in the military service received the anti-typhoid vaccine. It is interesting to note that the death rate from typhoid fever in the military forces of the United States was about 140 times as high in 1898-99 as it is 1917-18.

Since 1909, the Army Medical School has been the center for research in medical science and military medicine and sanitation for the Medical Department of the Army. Among the contributions made by officers on duty at the school to these subjects may be mentioned the present universal method of applying chlorine in the purification of public water supplies, the evolution of the Lyster bag in the purification of water in the field, the researches leading to the adoption of the present method of vaccinating against typhoid fever in the Army, and the present methods of venereal prophylaxis. These contributions, while but a few of those emanating from the Army Medical School, have saved thousands of lives in the service and many hundreds of thousands of dollars.

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Marine Corps—Lt. G. A. Brodstrom, Lt. Lloyd H. Reilly.

Ft. Benning Notes

THE National Guard field officers' class made a tour of inspection of the 29th Infantry barracks this week. Quarters of the Regimental Headquarters Company, Service Company, Howitzer Company, and companies C, D, and H, were visited by the guardsmen.

Upon completion of the inspection of the 29th Infantry area the class proceeded to the headquarters of the 2d Battalion 1st Tank Regiment, where they were met by Maj. S. E. Brett and members of his staff who conducted them around the tank area where display of all tank equipment had been arranged.

Capt. George J. Engelthaler, company officers' class, is the first student officer to receive assignment orders, which will become effective upon completion of the 1929-30 academic year of the Infantry School. Capt. Engelthaler will be assigned as an instructor in military science at the Calumet Public High School, Chicago.

Col. William P. Hill, VC; Maj. Clarence C. Harvey, MC, and Capt. Daniel H. Mallen, VC, have been appointed members of a board to examine applicants for commissions in the Veterinary Corps of the Army.

Selection of the enlisted members of the 29th Infantry small bore rifle team was made upon the conclusion of the tryouts as follows:

Sgt. C. G. Skipper, Co. B, (high, with a score of 256); Cpl. C. W. Wills, Co. A, (second with 253) and Pvt. 1cl. E. Goodman, 1st Bn. Hqs. (third, with 249); Sgt. L. A. Beck, Co. A; Sgt. D. B. Musick, Sgt. M. Rogers, and Cpl. L. B. Loper, all of Co. B; Cpl. T. E. McCulloch, Co. C; 1st Sgt. E. C. Davis, Sgt. N. Arevalo and Cpl. S. A. Clay, all of Co. E; Cpl. H. F. Hicks, Co. F; and Cpls. J. H. Burnsell and C. Taylor, Co. G.

Enlisted men of the 29th Infantry through their charity fund are helping to support the children's school at Ft. Benning, and last week appropriated \$50 to the school.

The National Guard and Reserve company officers' machine gun and howitzer class will be organized on Feb. 20, when 143 citizen-soldier students report for their three-months' course of instruction at the Infantry School. Upon arrival the students will be organized into Co. E, Academic Department, under the supervision of Capt. Edward J. Maloney.

OD Officer To Flying Duty

THE detail of Maj. James L. Hatcher, OD, to duty involving flying while on duty with materiel division, AC, in connection with the experimental development of aerial equipment, involving the use of Ordnance-furnished materials while in flight, and for the purpose of inspecting testing and studying the operation and functioning of machine guns, machine-gun accessories, bombs, pyrotechnics, and ammunition installed in aircraft, is announced.

Col. D. L. Stone to Troops

COL. DAVID L. STONE, Inf., who has been on duty in the office of the Assistant Secretary of War in connection with Organized Reserve affairs, has been ordered to assume command of the 3d Infantry at Ft. Snelling, effective about June 30.

The present commandant at Ft. Snelling, Col. Walter C. Sweeney, has been ordered to Ft. Hayes as chief of staff for the 5th Corps Area.

Soldiers In Rescue

Quarry Heights (Special)—Five natives, the crew of the sailing vessel San Pedro, which had capsized off Ft. San Lorenzo, were recently saved from imminent death by drowning in a heavy sea by the master and crew of the D. B. Boat L-53, Sgt. Edward Keith, Pvt. 1st Thomas Zucco, Richard F. McKinney, Rufus B. Seagroves and Harold R. Wright, all of Battery E2ndCA, effecting this rescue at the risk of their own lives. These men were commended by the Department commander for upholding, in such a splendid manner, the highest ideals of the service.

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Editor, Army and Navy Journal:

IN THE issue of Jan. 16, 1930, you printed an article signed "Pessimist" in which was included, among other wandering statements from a misinformed mind, the statement that, "the DEML was composed of a group of hand-shaking dog-robbers, no better than common flunkys, performing routine menial acts that any private or common clerk was capable of."

From the tone of that letter, it was apparent that the author was simply a disgruntled "line" private, who had tried to join such a group as the DEML and failed. It is an old saying that "The grapes out of reach are sour, anyway."

For the benefit of "Pessimist" and others who think that A-R 145-10 is really true when it says that "Instruction in the basic course (1st two years) shall be for three hours per week and instruction in the advanced course (last two years) shall be for five hours per week, let me give you an outline of the time devoted to duty and the varied duties of at least one DEML (ROTC) (and the same is true of nearly every case where there is but one member of the DEML stationed at any of the different institutions throughout the country).

Following is the average amount of time devoted to the various duties involved:

Janitor work, cleaning office, etc., 5 hours.

Class-room instruction (1st Aid-Personal Hygiene-Military Courtesy-National Defense Act, and the theoretical part of the instruction in Drill-Rifle Marksmanship-Scouting and Patrolling, etc.) 6 hours.

Preparation for class-room instruction and grading written examination papers, etc., 10 hours.

Practical instruction and preparation therefor, 4 hours.

(Above includes Infantry drill only.)

Rifle Marksmanship (including instructional shooting by freshmen and rifle team practice, 8 hours.

Rifle Marksmanship (Instruction and shooting by Boy Scouts, Reserve Officers, etc., 5 hours.

Affairs pertaining to Reserve Officers (including Board of Officers for examination for appointment and promotion; advice and information regarding summer camps, etc., 4 hours.

Attendance as student at class of Reserve Officers in Military History-Military Law and other correspondence courses, including preparation therefor, 4 hours.

Student records, (preparation, etc.), 4 hours.

Miscellaneous office work (correspondence, reports, records, etc.), 8 hours.

Care of property (including inspection, care, issue, fitting of uniforms, etc.), 8 hours.

The above list makes a total of 66 hours per week. It is admitted that some of the above work might be omitted, i. e., Boy Scout Marksmanship and Reserve Officers Classes, but the first is in the nature of future contact and the second is preparation for advancement. Necessary? No. But it is an accepted fact that the one who simply desires to get by as easy as possible soon is replaced.

The duty of an enlisted man on D. E. M. L. (ROTC), alone at an institution is a combination of the duty required in a regiment of a private, drill sergeant, supply sergeant, clerk, and regimental sergeant-major (Master Sergeant) with the additional duty of a school teacher thrown in for good measure. And yet there are some privates on such details and only a few are above the grade of sergeant (fourth grade). We are commonly called the "Salesmen of the Service," as we are the only contact that the average community has with the regular army. and as such are expected to conduct ourselves in a proper manner, which in-

cludes living in something other than a "hovel." Nearly all are married and have one or more children and only stay on DEML because it provides better school facilities, and are determined that the "kids" are going to have better schooling than we happened to get.

Perhaps "Pessimist" would like to try going to an office around 6:00 to 6:30 each morning, taking time for a sandwich at noon, spending from thirty minutes to an hour at home for dinner and returning for rifle marksmanship for three or four hours each evening. In addition to this also have to go on Sunday and spend three or four hours doing little things that simply will not be put off any longer. (This is the schedule from about November 1st to May 1st each year.

The above is an outline of DEML (ROTC) duty as I have found it for nearly eight years now. I am staying because of school facilities for my child, and because there is a vague something, a silent appeal, to the service, and also to this duty. I have left the service twice, and twice I came back, once after nearly two years in civil life.

I expect to stay until my "bit" is completed, unless I have to get out in order to secure enough money to properly care for my family. The same amount of time and interest, spent on any similar position, i. e., similar in responsibility and requirements, in civil life, would pay a great deal more money, and all fair minded persons who will give this a second thought knows it.

I have not tried to touch upon any other part of "Pessimist's" letter, except from personal experience and will let the DEML, (OR), (RS), (NG), etc., speak for themselves. I do, however, know of one staff sergeant on OR duty who averages ten to twelve hours per day on duty, six days per week; and also of one sergeant on recruiting duty who puts in his eight hours per day at the "A" board and then spends an average of two hours per evening on the job, talking "Army." Needless to say, he makes the "Honor Roll" frequently.

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Editor, Army and Navy Journal:

OUCH! As evidenced by the letters from "Optimism" and "DEML," at least two persons took my recent remarks very much to heart. Personally I think that a little more time spent in studying my remarks would obviate the necessity of answering a few of the questions raised in those two letters, and at the same time a little humor might be found, excepting by those selfish over-timers who simply will not retire until they are good and ready. They are the only ones at whom any attack was intended, although they have long since proven they do not mind such little things. The kind of handshaking I referred to was not the kind mentioned by "Optimism." In civilian life it is more properly called "mixing." During over ten years' service on what is now called DEML, I came into contact with a lot of that, and finally was requested to transfer because I would not mix with the rest of the party. I could not see why I should. I either like a man or I don't, and do not hesitate to let him know it. Although the ten years ended probably before "DEML" was old enough to enlist, I think I can truthfully say I saw at least one hundred men come and go, and every one made use of the expression "gravey train." There I came into first-hand contact with their duties, and my acquaintance with men on that duty during my entire 28 years of service causes me to verily believe that, except for there being much more work, their duties are very little changed.

"DEML" seems very offended at my remarks in reference to debt caused by high living—meaning in excess of receipts. My association with civilians has taught me that those who count would rather see a person live comfortably and safely in a poor neighborhood than to merely exist in the better neighborhoods. Although I have found that quarters are generally hard to find within the allowance, a little time always did find them. But I fail to find any reference to allowances, except for retired men in my former letter. I always have been of the belief that Army Regulations allowed not to exceed \$4.00 per day in lieu of rations and quarters for enlisted men. They get \$1.95 per day. A recent Executive Order made some changes in allowances in lieu of rations while traveling, and, perhaps, some day a similar order will equalize as it should be, these allowances with all the little things which go along with

Writes of Reserve Function

Writing in the Atlanta Constitution, Sam W. Small recently set forth at some length for readers of that paper the organization and function of the Organized Reserves, recalling the unpreparedness that persisted despite the lessons of the war with Spain, and showing how the maintenance of the Organized Reserves was calculated to fend off any repetition of the results.

"In order to make good for our country in the World War," writes Mr. Small, "we paid \$10 to become prepared after we went in, when \$1 spent on scientific and expert preparedness before the war started over there would have been plenty to have found us in fighting trim, with ease of expansion."

Comptroller Generals Decision

A-30254. (S) Pay—Retired—Warrant and commissioned warrant officers of the Navy.

The retired pay of retired commissioned warrant officers of the Navy who were placed on the retired list prior to Feb. 16, 1929, may be computed from that date upon the rates of pay authorized for commissioned warrant officers in the act of Feb. 16, 1929, 45 Stat. 1186, amending the act of June 10, 1922, 42 Stat. 627.

The retired pay of retired warrant officers of the Navy who were placed on the retired list prior to Feb. 16, 1929, is not changed by the act of that date.

A-29981. (S) Pay and reimbursement of subsistence expenses, training camp, Reserve Officers' Training Corps.

Where a member of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps was found physically disqualified because of defective vision for a commission in the Officers' Reserve Corps and discharged from the advanced training camp July 1, 1929, his reinstatement in the R. O. T. C. Oct. 5, 1929, may be given no retroactive effect so as to entitle him to pay, etc., for the period July 2 to 27, 1929, during which time he was permitted to attend the camp at his own expense, and was not in a training status under any obligation assumed by the United States.

A-3092. (S) Gratuity of \$25 payable to naval court-martial prisoners on discharge.

Under provision in section 13 of the act of Feb. 16, 1909, 35 Stat. 622, authorizing payment upon discharge of a gratuity not to exceed \$25 to persons confined in naval prisons pursuant to a naval court-martial sentence where the prisoner would otherwise be without funds to meet his immediate needs. All funds in the possession of the prisoner, whether accrued pay or money on deposit at the prison, must be considered in determining what if any portion of the gratuity may be paid.

quarters in kind. But as for food stuffs being higher in cities than in Army commissaries, I have not found it so. In spite of that wild man on KWKH the chain stores are a boon to all mankind as evidenced by the difference between the prices at the corner grocery and the nearest chain store a mile away, and I have found that the average cost of food purchased in chain stores is less than that sold in commissaries.

I hope I am not again misunderstood and considered as backing down. And I'd like to inform "Optimism" that insulting officers was farthest from my mind. If I do say it, I shouldn't, I am too intelligent to even think of doing such a thing—furthermore, I have too much respect for them to do so.

I almost forgot the pay question. I think a careful study of my first letter will indicate that I have not forgotten my early training in civil life: A day's pay for a day's work—the worker to get more than the shirker. We are all employees of the Government which should set the example for other employers to follow up. That would give us more money to buy good beer with when the curse of the country has been abolished.

Pessimist.

WANTS CELLAR GARAGES.

Editor, Army and Navy Journal:

Considerable construction of officers' quarters is about to commence on various Army posts.

Are basement garages to be part of them? I doubt it.

Has this coming necessity even been considered?

Again I doubt it.

D. P. S.

Pay Committee Meets

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were astounded at the vast amount of work that lies before them in becoming acquainted with the complicated pay problems of the six services. Copies of the report of the Interdepartmental Pay Board were distributed to them at Wednesday's meeting and each member took a copy back to his office for study and reference. Talked to after the meeting, the committeemen evidenced a sincere desire to become thoroughly familiar with the pay problems and to work out a just and equitable solution.

The composition of the House delegation on the committee continued to be the subject of gossip in Army and Navy circles as well as at the Capitol. Representative Carl Vinson, of Georgia, took occasion to mention the subject at a meeting of the House committee on Naval Affairs during the course of a discussion on private bills. He said that he had noticed that there were no members on the Joint Pay Committee from either the House Naval or Military legislative committees. He declared that it would have been wiser for these committees to have kept the pay question within their own confines and to have drawn up separate bills for each service.

"It is now out of our jurisdiction," Representative Vinson said, "and we who know best what the situation is about have nothing to say as to what is to be done."

Members of the Joint Committee as now constituted, he asserted, must spend a great deal of time learning the background of the situation.

In service circles, while they might have been more pleased if Congressmen known to be favorable to the movement had been placed on the delegation, observers are by no means discouraged. As now constituted, the chairman of the joint committee is also chairman of the Senate Appropriations committee, while the vice chairman is a vigorous member of the House appropriations committee and chairman of the sub-committee on naval appropriations. Another member of the joint committee, Mr. Barbour, is chairman of the House sub-committee on War Department Appropriations, while Mr. Oliver also is a member of the powerful appropriations committee.

These men are the very ones who, were they not on the committee, would watch most keenly and critically when a pay bill would be reported. They probably would be severe critics if it did not meet with their approval. However, with them as members of the joint committee they will become thoroughly acquainted with the problem and will take the time to go deeply into the merits of the service appeal. Whatever measure meets with their approval and is reported out on the floor of the House will be quite likely to win widespread support among the rest of the Congressmen who know that they will support no expenditures unless thoroughly justified.

There is a feeling that the secrecy surrounding the committee meetings may prove somewhat harmful to the ultimate success of the movement. It is entirely possible, it is pointed out, that members who are opposed to any pay increase will present arguments which will go unchallenged and unanswered because those who are familiar with the facts are unaware that such arguments are being made and consequently will not be able to present the true facts.

The War Department's pay committee is conducting a splendid survey among the officers stationed within the geographical limits of the Third Corps area which should produce information of vital value in putting the pay case before the Congressional committee. It will be of incalculable importance to have a survey of a sufficient number of officers to include all grades, branches and classes of duty and give a typical cross-section of financial conditions among commissioned personnel.

The filling out and return of the questionnaire sent to each officer is voluntary with each recipient, but as the value of the survey depends upon the number of replies received, it is likely that a large majority of the officers will cooperate. The questionnaire covers three phases: Personal data, such as amount of salary received; second, average monthly budget, and last, questions to explain the budget.

Fuqua to Visit 8th Inf.

MAJ. GEN. STEPHEN O. FUQUA, Chief of Infantry, leaves Washington on Feb. 17, to observe the activities of the 8th Infantry, stationed at Ft. Moultrie and Ft. Screven.

Will Reorganize FA

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ratings will be equalized between units in so far as is practicable.

The following sets forth the movements involved, the units to be rendered inactive, those to be reconstituted and those to be changed from a partially inactive to a wholly active status.

CORPS AREA.

FT. ETHAN ALLEN.
7th FA (less 2d Bn.). The present partially inactive battery and one battery section of the battalion combat train will be rendered inactive. Four sergeants, five corporals, six privates, 1st class, or so many of above as are in excess of new allotment, and such number of privates as is necessary to reduce the 7th FA (less 2d Bn.) to a total present and absent strength of approximately 431 men, will be transferred in grade and sent to the 2d Bn., 7th FA, Madison Bks. The privates, 1st class, and privates transferred are to include those holding such specialists ratings as are best designed to equalize promotion, and absorption of excess specialists within the 7th FA. The 1st Bn., 5th FA, will be transferred to Ft. Ethan Allen for station.

FT. ADAMS.

The War Department is considering the advisability of transferring the 3d Bn., 13th Inf., to Ft. Adams.

II CORPS AREA.

MADISON BKS.

The partially inactive battery and battery section of battalion combat train of 2d Bn., 7th FA, will be reconstituted as fully active units.

III CORPS AREA.

FT. HOYLE.

The 1st Ammunition Train, the two partially inactive batteries of the 6th FA and the corresponding battery sections of battalion combat trains will be rendered inactive.

The following enlisted personnel from the FA units at Ft. Hoyle will be transferred in grade and sent:

To 1st Bn., 16th FA, Ft. Myer, three corporals, five privates, 1st class, and 12 privates. (No men will be transferred in specialists rating other than such part of those in excess of the new allotment to the FA units at Ft. Hoyle as the commanding general, 3rd Corps Area, decides should be absorbed by the 1st Bn., 16th FA); 1st Bn., 9th FA, Ft. Lewis, one staff sergeant, nine sergeants and seven corporals; 2d Bn., 7th FA, Madison Bks., one sergeant, three corporals, 19 privates, 1st class, and 24 privates. (No man will be transferred in specialist's rating.)

IV CORPS AREA.

FT. BRAGG.

The 13th Ammunition Train; Hdqrs. and Hdqrs. Bty., Service Bty. and the band of the 5th FA, and the partially inactive battery and battery section of the battalion combat train of 2d Bn., 16th FA, will be rendered inactive.

The personnel of the 5th FA band will be transferred to the 17th FA and the 17th FA band reconstituted.

The 1st Bn., 5th FA, will be organized as a separate battalion and re-armed with 155mm howitzers, while the 2d Bn. will be organized as a separate battalion and one battery re-armed with 155mm G. P. F. guns.

The following personnel will be transferred from the FA units in grade and specialists rating and sent:

To the 7th FA, Ft. Ethan Allen, one staff sergeant; to the 3d Bn., 17th FA, Ft. Leavenworth, three staff sergeants, two sergeants, eight corporals and a number of privates, 1st class and privates, to be designated later.

FT. BENNING.

One battery with attached battery section of battalion combat train of 83d FAB, to be designated by the commanding general, 4th Corps Area, will move by marching to Camp Knox. All battery property will be transferred to Ft. Benjamin Harrison. Upon arrival of this battery at Camp Knox, the battery and battery section of the battalion combat train will be made inactive, and all personnel transferred in grade and specialist's rating to the 1st Bn., 3d FA. Before the battery leave Ft. Benning, it will be reorganized so that with attached battery section of battalion combat train, it will have the following grades and specialist's ratings and these only: one first sergeant, nine sergeants, nine corporals, 27 privates, 1st class, and 54 privates; the privates, 1st class, and privates will include all those in the 83d FAB holding specialist's ratings in excess of the new allotment to that battalion.

V CORPS AREA.

FT. BENJAMIN HARRISON.

The present partially inactive battery and battery section of the battalion combat train of 1st Bn., 3FA, to be reconstituted as wholly active at

Gen. Gillmore to Retire

THE retirement of Brig. Gen. William E. Gillmore, assistant to the Chief of Air Corps, after 30 years' service, will take effect on June 30.

There are four colonels, besides Maj. Gen. James E. Fechet, and 14 lieutenant colonels, besides assistants to Gen. Fechet with the temporary rank of brigadier general, in the Air Corps.

Gen. Gillmore will retire with the rank of brigadier general.

Camp Knox upon arrival of battery from Ft. Benning.

VI CORPS AREA.

FT. SHERIDAN.

Hdqrs. and Hdqrs. Bty., Service Bty., and the partially inactive battery and battery section of battalion combat train of 2d Bn., 3d FA, will be rendered inactive. (Note: the band of the 3d FA is not to be made inactive.)

Enlisted personnel will be transferred in grade from 3d FA (less 1st Bn.), and sent:

To 1st Bn., 3d FA, Ft. Benjamin Harrison, two master sergeants, one sergeant and three corporals; to 2d Bn., 7th FA, Madison Bks., four sergeants; to 1st Bn., 9th FA, Ft. Lewis, three staff sergeants; to 3d Bn., 17th FA, Ft. Leavenworth, one first sergeant; to 2d Bn., 18th FA, Ft. Des Moines, five sergeants, six corporals, seven privates, 1st class, and 31 privates. (No men rated as specialist's will be transferred in rating.)

To FA troops, Ft. Sill, one first sergeant.

VII CORPS AREA.

FT. DES MOINES.

The partially inactive battery and battery section of the battalion combat train of the 2d Bn., 18th FA, will be reconstituted as wholly active.

FT. LEAVENWORTH.

The 3d Bn., 17th FA, 155mm howitzers, to be reconstituted.

FT. ROBINSON.

The partially inactive battery and battery section of the battalion combat train of the 4th FAB will be rendered wholly inactive. One staff sergeant and four corporals will be transferred in grade from the 4th FA (less 2d Bn.), at Ft. Francis E. Warren.

VIII CORPS AREA.

FT. SAM HOUSTON.

The 2d Ammunition Train and the partially inactive batteries and the corresponding battery section of the battalion combat trains of the 12 FA and of the 2d Bn., 15th FA, will be rendered wholly inactive. Enlisted personnel will be transferred in grade and specialist's rating from the FA units at Ft. Sam Houston and sent to the 3d Bn., 17 FA, at Ft. Leavenworth, as follows: three technical or first sergeants, two staff sergeants, 23 sergeants, 28 corporals, such privates, 1st class, and privates as are rated as specialist's in the headquarters and truck sections of the 2d Ammunition Train and four cooks, two rated 4th class and two rated 5th class.

FT. FRANCIS E. WARREN.

The partially inactive battery and battery section of the battalion combat train of the 76th Field Artillery (less 2d Battalion) will be rendered wholly inactive.

IX CORPS AREA.

PRESIDIO OF MONTEREY.

The partially inactive battery and battery section of the 2d Bn., 76th FA, will be rendered wholly inactive. The following enlisted personnel will be transferred in grade and specialist's rating and sent to the 1st Bn., 9th FA, Ft. Lewis; one first sergeant, three sergeants, six corporals, seven privates, 1st class, or so many of the above as are in excess of the new allotment to the 2d Bn., 76th FA, and such number of privates as is necessary to reduce that battalion to a total present and absent strength of approximately 313 men. The privates, 1st class, and privates transferred are to include those holding all excess specialist's ratings.

FT. LEWIS.

The 1st Bn., 9th FA, to be armed with 155mm howitzers, will be reconstituted. Hdqrs. and Hdqrs. Bty., 3d FAB, will be reduced to three officers and five enlisted men. The two partially inactive batteries and the corresponding battery section of battalion combat train of the 10th FA will be rendered wholly inactive.

Dates of movements and of rendering units inactive and of reconstituting units will be announced later. It is contemplated that all movements except those of the battery from Ft. Benning to Camp Knox and of the 1st Bn., 5th FA, to Ft. Ethan Allen, will be completed by approximately May 1, 1930. The date of the later movement is not yet determined.

Federal Recognitions

FEDERAL recognition has been accorded to the following officers of the National Guard:

Maj. Gen. G. A. White, 41st Div., Ore.

Majs.—H. G. Taylor, Cav., N. Y.; R. W. Shaw, QMC, Ariz.; O. E. Davenport, Inf., Ill.; C. A. Hennessy, Inf., Kans.; I. H. Hoyle, DC, N. C.; G. D. Rice, AGD, Pa.

Cpts.—J. P. Hanbury, FA, N. Y.; W. C. Hibbard, CE, Ohio; G. F. Bittle, Inf., T. H.; A. V. Donaldson, MC, Pa.; J. E. Downen, CE, Ill.; F. D. Gibson, Inf., Ill.; R. R. McEldowney, Inf., T. H.; J. G. Brown, Inf., Mass.; A. H. Schutz, Cav., Ky.; J. G. Somers, Inf., Kans.; F. A. Stengle, Inf., N. Y.; D. M. White, Inf., Ohio; C. Biebers, Inf., Tex.; W. A. Cochran, MC, Mich.; G. O. Horrall, Inf., Ariz.; P. Lago, Inf., N. Y.; H. M. Neger, CAC, N. Y.; J. A. A. Sedillo, AGD, N. M.

1st Lts.—E. M. Allen, Inf., Mass.; H. Gibbons, Inf., Wash.; S. H. Mitchell, Inf., Mont.; M. T. Schiska, Inf., Minn.; O. N. Morison, MD, N. Y.; P. W. Schurtz, Cav., N. M.; C. T. Tucker, Cav., N. Y.; C. P. Williams, Cav., N. Y.; E. J. Fisher, Inf., Ohio; H. J. Blackmon, FA, Fla.; L. J. Girens, Inf., Wisc.; T. T. Houghton, FA, Col.; W. H. Mann, AGD, Ohio; N. G. Romich, AC, Ark.; J. A. Young, Cav., Pa.; S. J. Woodruff, CE, Ill.; R. D. Baird, Inf., N. Y.; C. E. Barry, FA, Kans.; J. C. S. Gillen, Inf., N. Y.; A. C. Thrower, Inf., Mo.; E. L. Carmichael, Cav., Wisc.; B. A. Lyons, Inf., Mass.; L. M. Nye, Inf., Ohio; J. G. Schur, FA, Ore.; J. R. Walker, QMC, Tenn.

2nd Lts.—G. O. Bagnall, SC, Mass.; J. T. Crowley, Inf., Mass.; W. H. Delaney, Inf., Mass.; C. E. Hurn, Inf., Mo.; L. G. Long, FA, Tex.; E. J. Sullivan, QMC, Mass.; H. M. Stone, Inf., Ore.; C. W. Stump, Cav., N. M.; D. R. Watson, Inf., Tex.; C. R. Wilson, QMC, Ohio; C. B. Blethen, FA, Wash.; C. W. Crush, CAC, Va.; H. W. Fahres, Inf., Wisc.; J. B. Lovelace, FA, N. C.; J. E. Platz, FA, Wisc.; R. A. Ravsthorpe, Inf., Ariz.; W. H. Allison, O. D., Pa.; J. C. Bosema, SC, Pa.; L. B. Bright, FA, Pa.; L. T. Haugh, Inf., Calif.; J. B. Denis, Inf., Ariz.; B. Garrett, FA, Ky.; J. D. Howe, AC, Ark.; J. J. McCleary, Inf., Mass.; M. J. Morley, CE, Ida.; E. L. O'Connor, Inf., T. H.; W. J. Repette, Inf., Ind.; C. E. Ross, Inf., Calif.; T. L. Stephens, Cav., Ky.; R. E. Hall, Inf., Mont.; F. C. Stobart, Inf., Ohio; C. D. Yeoman, AC, Mo.; M. L. Bertie, Cav., Wisc.; J. B. Cato, CAC, Fla.; W. D. Himes, Inf., Ohio; G. P. Hitchcock, FA, N. Y.; J. Vickers, AC, Pa.; J. H. Woolwine, CAC, Va.; C. H. Delsman, CAC, Ore.; J. C. Duckworth, Inf., Ala.; L. J. Thompson, Inf., N. Y.; W. O. Thompson, FA, Tenn.

Would Extend Benefit

SENATOR GRUNDY this week introduced a bill to extend the benefits of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, to cadets of the Military Academy and to midshipmen at the Naval Academy.

The bill, introduced by Mr. Grundy for Senator Reed would allow compensation to cadets at the Academy for death or disability resulting from personal injury suffered or disease contracted in military service between April 6, 1917, and July 2, 1921. Under regulations governing the World War Veterans' Act, midshipmen taking practice during this period were considered as doing active duty and as such would come under the act, but cadets at the Military Academy were not considered to have been on active duty.

Commissioned in USNR

THE following commissions have been issued in the Naval Reserve: Charles Camp Cantrell, Lt. I-V(S), New Orleans, La. Lester Miles Lucas, Lt. (jg) DC-V(G), Washington, D. C. Ira Goodsee Nichols, Lt. Comdr. DC-V(S), Champaign, Ill. Clarence Henry Schildhauer, Lt. A-V(G), New York, N. Y. Arthur Gerald Schmidt, Lt. DC-V(S), Lincoln, Nebr. Howard Hamilton Strine, Lt. (jg) MC-V(G), Washington, D. C. James Bradford Vail Lt. (jg) MC-V(G), Henning, Minn.

Would Raise Rank

MR. KEISS introduced a bill in the House this week allowing the rank, pay, and allowances of a brigadier general, United States Army, or of a rear admiral, United States Navy, to any officer below such rank assigned as coordinator for traffic and chairman Federal Traffic Board.

Stress Thrift in CMT Plan

COMMANDING generals of all Corps Areas have been instructed by the War Department regarding the current year's CMT procurement procedure, in which economy is particular stressed.

The policy of proportionate representation by counties will again be effective. In applying this policy, the quotas of the counties in which the mileage is greater than the average for the Corps Area are under no circumstances to be exceeded, except when necessary in order to keep faith with former trainees. Every effort will be made to have each county produce its pro rata share of trainees, but should any county fail to do so efforts will be concentrated on those counties where the haul is less than the average. In other words, any necessary decrease or increase of county quotas will be in favor of and not against the Government.

In the interest of economy, all trainees will be sent to the camps nearest their homes, except that basic trainees may be permitted to attend more distant camps only upon payment by them of the additional cost of transportation involved, and Red, White and Blue trainees may be sent to more distant camps at Government expense when lack of training facilities or other military reasons make such procedure advisable, and upon payment by them of the additional cost of transportation involved when this is done for their convenience.

When an applicant to attend a Red camp elects to pursue training in an arm which would result in his being sent to a camp more distant than the one to which he would ordinarily be assigned, he will be advised that he will be required to pay the additional transportation not only for the Red camp but also for the White and Blue camps. No authority is granted for exceeding the amount allotted for transportation of trainees, nor will any authority operate to reduce the Corps Area quota.

It is directed that a sufficient number be ordered to camp to compensate not only for the elopements, but also for rejections at camp prior to enrollment and losses during camp.

No applicant will be enrolled with the understanding that he will be discharged before the termination of the camp in order to attend another camp, to enter school, or for similar reasons.

No trainee will be permitted to attend more than one CMT Camp during the calendar year.

Corps Area and camp commanders will take every possible precaution to keep rejections at camp at a minimum at the same time not lowering the standard of physical examination.

Basic trainees who complete the 30 days' course but who, due to inaptitude or similar reasons, are not recommended for advancement will not be recommended for return to the Basic Course. If training is interrupted for exceptional and worthy causes they may be permitted to retake the course at the discretion of the camp commander.

Trainees who have been recommended to take White or Blue Courses in the arm in which they have been trained must continue in the same arm unless their records of previous training or experience indicate qualifications for another arm.

At the end of the White Course all trainees not considered officer material will be eliminated from further advancement until fully qualified. For technical arms the necessary technical education will be required.

It is particularly desired that no trainees be admitted to a Blue Course who do not have both the educational and physical requirements for a commission in the Officers' Reserve Corps. While the War Department desires a larger percentage of Blue graduates commissioned in the Reserve Corps, it does not desire to reduce the standard in any way.

Enlisted men of the Regular Army are to be trained in their own organizations and recommended for Reserve commissions when suitably qualified. In exceptional circumstances when such training cannot be obtained in their own organizations, an enlisted man of the Regular Army may be ordered to a CMT Camp as a trainee, and then only for enrollment in the White or Blue Course.

Gen. Rethers to Retire

ORDERS were released by the War Department this week directing Brig. Gen. Harry F. Rethers, assistant to The Quartermaster General, to his home to await retirement.

Gen. Rethers is a resident of Washington, D. C.

MERCHANT MARINE

FINANCE

Finance School Opens

THE official opening of the 21st class of the Finance School, U. S. Army, took place Feb. 3, in Tempo Building No. 5, this city, when the student body, representing every corps area, was assembled in the school auditorium, and a brief address of welcome was made by Maj. O. W. Gralund, FD, commandant of the school. The principal address was made by Maj. Gen. R. L. Carmichael, Chief of Finance, who reminded the students to put forth their best efforts so that at the end of the course he may be able to present each with a diploma.

The present class numbers 29; of these one is from the Infantry; one from the Signal Corps and twenty-seven from the Finance Department. The class terminates May 22, 1930.

The names of the students who have enrolled are as follows:

W. K. Akin, C. C. Barnes, J. W. Bel-
lew, G. C. Berg, W. W. Butler, C. Davis,
A. J. DeVaughn, G. E. Gross, J. I.
Horan, J. H. Lang, G. L. Letson, V. A.
McGeath, J. H. Mulgannon, J. P. Muse,
M. F. Noyes, H. D. Patty, B. G. Pelsma,
J. Rice, J. Roche, G. F. Rowe, J. D.
Russ, R. M. St. Clair, R. Swanson, E.
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Walker, H. H. Williams, C. D. Yar-
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Carabao Dinner

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and how good and sincere as friends in peace."

Gen. Aguinaldo was photographed standing on a balcony of his residence at Kawit, P. I., and presented a vivid picture in the film. This is believed to be the first address of its kind that he has delivered since the insurrection 31 years ago.

The Marine Corps, too, was not overlooked in the festivities as a sketch showed the last—positively the last—company assembled for foreign service. In one sketch the last—absolutely the last—battalion of marines, consisting of a chaplain, a sergeant and a buck private, set forth to conquer the dusky señoritas after a lecture from the commander and a drill by the snappy sergeant.

A particularly amusing skit which found a warm place in the receptive hearts of the hombres and Carabaos was one in which the Comptroller General of the General Discounting Office (clothed in a Central American general's bright red costume) did his bit to make uneasy the life of one "Passed Assistant Lieutenant I. M. Everbroke, USA, USN, USMC, USCA & GS and USPHS."

Lt. Everbroke opened the performance by singing a song that told the audience that he had drawn his pay and settled his bills and was broke. His song was interrupted by four Comptroller General Aides in funeral black who told him, in song, "We'll get you."

Finally the resplendent Comptroller General entered singing "I am the master of your fate." He then started the serious business of reading a decision couched in the most legal of legal terms in which it was found that Everbroke "is presumably allowed certain emoluments, allowances, privileges and hopes under the act of June 10, 1922." Several references were made to support the decision, among which were the following (all duly looked up in the books and read in stentorian tones by the Comptroller) Shylock vs. Antonio, Act. 4, scene 1, 220; Yale vs. Harvard 3rd down, 10 to go; Dempsey vs. Tunney, round 4, 9, 10 and out; Babe Ruth vs. White Sox 9th Inning, 8 to 10; 7 Spades redoubled, set 6; and 1922 Disarmament Conference, 5-5-3.

The legal prelude concluded, the following decision was rendered:

(a) On March 3, 1916, this officer traveled under orders from Milpitas, California, to Bird's Center, Indiana, with permission to delay six months enroute at Reno, Neva, thence via Salt Lake City, Utah. Had he traveled the more direct route via Hopestown, Illinois, taking advantage of the reduced summer round trip rates to Atlantic City with the arbitrary 30 cents at Frioles, Arizona, there would have been a saving to the government of eleven cents. This officer will therefore remit that sum.

Here, in pantomime, the officer indicated that he had nothing. Senior aide with eyes indicated Everbroke's hat. Comptroller General looked appraisingly at hat, nodded assent and Aide took the hat.

(b) We find that at 2:30 p.m. on April 21, 1923, the alleged dependents of this officer, for whose account he had been drawing additional allowances for rental and subsistence under the act of June 10, 1922, (supra) did leave the bed and board of this claimant and visit the alleged parents of the alleged dependent wife, taking dinner and being quartered in this domicile until after 10 a.m. the following day, thereby being in no manner dependent upon this officer for any rental or subsistence during that period. There is, therefore, found due the government the sum of \$1.47½ cents.

Here the Aides and Comptroller General as before appraised and removed coat.

(c) On September 8, 1926, this officer submitted travel expense claim and was paid by an inefficient finance officer for one lunch claimed to have been eaten in Chicago, Ill., while on an inspection trip in that city, the sum of \$1.25 including tips. It is well known by anyone who has been to Chicago that seven blocks from the hotel dining room where this sum was alleged to have been paid for luncheon, that a perfectly good and substantial meal can be obtained at Billy the Greek's for 35 cents, no tips allowed. It is

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Rep. James III

IT is with regret that we report that Hon. W. Frank James chairman of the House Committee on Military Affairs, has been very ill for some days, and will be kept away from his duties at the Capitol for probably a month until he regains his strength. However, he has been able to send a message to his committee outlining the work he had planned to do, and the committee is holding meetings on the regular meeting days to carry out his plans.

Mr. James was stricken last week with one of the attacks that has persisted since his service in the Army during the Spanish-American War, and has been confined to Walter Reed Hospital where only his immediate family has been permitted to visit him. We hope that the quiet will rapidly restore him to normal health.

Posts and Stations

FT. MOULTRIE, S. C.

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ager of the General Electric Company of Schenectady, N. Y.

Lt. and Mrs. Joseph G. Felber and Lt. and Mrs. Kenneth Bailey were hosts at a lovely bridge dinner Feb. 5. The color scheme was carried out in red and white in keeping with St. Valentine. Mrs. Coleman won ladies high prize, a flower bowl and Lt. James Bowen won mens' high prize, a cigarette lighter.

Capt. and Mrs. William Richie have as their guest Mrs. Richie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Bolt.

FT. MEADE, S. D.

Feb. 10, 1930

L. T. AND MRS. C. W. FEAGIN were hosts at dinner to Capt. and Mrs. L. L. Crocker, Mrs. H. A. Hale and Lt. Michela preceding the monthly regimental bridge party.

Maj. and Mrs. S. V. Bingham entertained at dinner on Tuesday evening, Feb. 4, for Col. W. L. Luhn, Maj. and Mrs. J. K. Colwell, Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Blankenship, Capt. and Mrs. L. L. Crocker, Lt. and Mrs. A. E. Forsyth and Lt. Michela.

A number of the officers and ladies of the Post participated in a surprise party to Maj. and Mrs. W. C. von Kessler on their first wedding anniversary on Wednesday, Feb. 5.

Capt. and Mrs. L. L. Crocker were hosts at dinner on Sunday, Feb. 9 to Capt. and Mrs. S. B. Renshaw and Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Mitchell, parents of Mrs. Renshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wentworth of Des Moines, Ia. are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Merrick, on the Post.

The officers and ladies of the regiment were hosts at a dinner for Col. W. Luhn at the Officers' Club on Friday, Feb. 7 in honor of his 61st birthday.

Weddings

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home after March 1 at Ft. Riley, Kans.

A military wedding of interest to Army circles was that of Miss Alice Patricia McDonough, daughter of Mrs. Michael J. McDonough, to Lt. John Spencer Nesbitt, USA, son of Col. and Mrs. John Scott. The marriage took place at Harris Hall, Ft. Humphreys, Va., before an altar beautifully decorated with lilies and tall candles. Father Louis Motry, of Catholic University, performed the ceremony. The wedding music was sung by Mrs. H. P. Oram, accompanied by Lt. Henry Underwood.

The bride's wedding gown was of ivory satin trimmed with rosepoint lace, and she carried a shower bouquet of sweetpeas and lilies of the valley. Her veil of tulle was arranged with orange blossoms and fell in three tiers. She wore a Spanish pearl, and gold filigree necklace, which is a family heirloom and a wedding gift from her mother.

Miss Charlotte Grey, the maid of honor, wore a gown of pink chiffon made on princess lines, and a small pink horsehair hat, and she carried lavender sweetpeas. The bridesmaids were Mrs. A. H. Burton, Miss Katherine Nesbitt, Miss Mary Hoge and Mrs. N. A. Matthias. Their gowns were of lavender chiffon, with hats and slippers to match, and they carried bouquets of pink sweetpeas. Mrs. McDonough, mother of the bride, wore a lace dress of cornflower blue, with hat to match. Mrs. Scott, the bridegroom's mother, was dressed in black velvet trimmed with silver brocade.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Lt. Robert E. McDonough. The best man was Lt. Ernest W. Carr. They will make their home at Fort Hoyle, Md., where Lt. Nesbitt is on duty with the 6th Field Artillery, and will be at home to their friends after Feb. 15.

Financial Digest

IN A RECENT bulletin, the G. M. P. Murphy and Co. calls attention to the method by which important corporations took advantage of the active stock market of the past few years to improve their financial position and thus add to the investment strength of their senior securities through important increases in the proportion of their capital values represented by common stock.

The bulletin cites as an example: "In the public utility and railroad fields, where new capital is required continuously, the opportunity to obtain capital by issuing new stock at satisfactory prices has been advantageous. The Pennsylvania, for example, has been helped in sustaining the very high investment rating accorded to its obligations. After years in which no stock was issued, shareholders, in 1928 and again in 1929, purchased an aggregate of more than \$130,000,000 in new stock, making a substantial addition to the strength of the company's bonds. It is an interesting contrast that a considerable part of the proceeds of the latest stock issue will be used for the permanent funding of capital which the company had been able to raise a decade ago only by borrowing on a 7 per cent coupon.

"A somewhat different example is found in the Baltimore & Ohio. At the end of 1926 its funded debt was some \$575,000,000 while capital stock had long been unchanged at about \$50,000,000 preferred and \$152,000,000 common. A better market for its common stock made possible offerings of additional shares in 1927 and 1929, netting more than \$100,000,000 and improving the balance between bonds and stocks. It also has made possible the recent announcement of an underwritten offering of \$63,000,000 of 4½ per cent convertible debentures, thus giving the company another opportunity to raise capital without recourse to mortgage bonds."

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(Continued from Preceding Page)—therefore incumbent upon this office to demand a refund of 85 cents, allowing 5 cents for car fare.

The same pantomime followed and they took the officer's trousers.

Everbroke: "Thank God, I still have my shoes left."

C. G.: "Shoes! Shoes! I find nothing in the act of June 10, 1922, supra, which grants any person paid under the provisions thereof any specific sum for shoes. Besides the government is allowed 2 per cent discount for cash in 10 days. The recovery of the amount found due the government having been effected (in kind, it is true) the government should still be entitled to the 2 per cent discount on the \$3.48 1/2 recovered, namely, 7 cents and 9 mills. (To aide.) Take the shoes."

Everbroke concluded with singing of the following ditty:

Am I blue, am I blue,
Ain't the sight of my plight,
Telling you

Am I blue, you'd be too,
If your pay every day
Wouldn't do.

Nineteen eight
Always found me ahead
But of late,

I'm always in the red—Lawdy
I was gay, but today,
Look at me, I'm near through.

Am I blue?

Members of the Dinner Committee which planned the affair were: Capt. Chester Wells, USN, Chairman; Rear Adm. Robert E. Coontz, USN; Maj. Gen. Merritt W. Ireland, USA; Maj. Gen. Charles McK Stalzman, USA; Maj. Gen. James E. Fechet, USA; Maj. Gen. Charles McK. Slatzman, USA; Gen. Frank R. Keefer, USA; Brig. Gen. Harry F. Rethers, USA; Rear Adm. Yates Sterling, jr., USN; Brig. Gen. John T. Myers, USMC; Brig. Gen. Hugh Matthews, USMC; Col. Edwin V. Book-miller, USA; Col. Henry H. Sheen, USA; Col. Reynolds J. Burt, USA; Col. Harold C. Reisinger, USMC; Capt. F. G. Payne, USN; Capt. Ray Spear, USN; Col. Lorenzo D. Gasser, USA; Col. Stanley H. Ford, USA; Capt. Charles M. Oman, USN; Capt. Edward R. Wilson, USN; Col. Ellis B. Miller, USMC; Col. Archibald F. Commiskey, USA; Col. Joseph M. Heller, MRC, USA; Lt. Col. Leartus J. Owen, USA, and Maj. Richard D. LaGarde, USA.

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Secretary of War Hurley, Maj. Hamner Huston, USA; Capt. L. P. Hunt, USMC; Asst. Secretary of Navy Jahncke, Rep. F. W. James, G. H. Johnson, Rep. R. C. Johnson, Mr. Faik. Konitsa, Minister of Albania, Lt. F. A. Keck, NRF, Maj. M. H. Kingman, USMC, Rep. E. R. Kiess, Dr. R. A. Kearny, Lt. Comdr. W. D. Kilduff, J. Klingenhagen, Chief Pay Clerk, USMC; O. O. Kuhn, Capt. R. H. Lane, Res.; W. J. Lambert, William Leahy, Cooper Lightbown, Maj. E. C. Long, USMC; Speaker Nicholas Longworth, Dr. J. A. Lyon, Benjamin Mackall, Dr. Louis Mackall, Dr. C. B. McNeil, Lt. Col. C. B. Matthews, USMC; W. A. McCoy, Rep. L. T. McFadden, Capt. W. B. Miller.

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Describes "Your Navy"

Fond du Lac, Wis. (Special).—An address on "Your Navy," was delivered by Rear Adm. Walter S. Crosley, USN, commandant of the 9th Naval District and of the Great Lakes Training Station, at a recent dinner of the Twilight Club, an organization composed of local business and professional men.

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Retain Extra Pay Right

A WAR Department circular announces that all enlisted men of the Coast Artillery Corps transferred within the limits of the continental United States pursuant to the recent reorganization, will continue to have the right, up to May 31 of this year, only to such additional compensation for special qualification in the use of arms as they may be entitled to on the date of transfer.

No vacancies in expert or first class gunner, CAC, within the continental United States, will be filled within the period from Feb. 1 to May 31, 1930.

A man to be eligible for additional compensation as an expert gunner, another circular provides, must at appointment be actually performing the duties of one of the positions outlined under expert gunners' examinations, except that an examination for the grade of expert gunner, agent, or for expert or first class gunner for members of caretaker detachments, will be one of those under the type of armament with which the candidate is assigned or working, to be designated by his commanding officer, and will be that most applicable to his duties. Otherwise, to be eligible for additional compensation as a first class gunner one must at appointment be actually performing minor duties along similar lines or be one who would in all probability be selected later to fill a vacancy occurring in one of the positions occupied by an expert gunner.

The following table, allotting to CAC organizations the number of expert and first class gunners they may qualify for additional compensation, becomes effective on July 1:

Place and Org	E. G.	1cl G.
Portland, 8th	2	3
Portsmouth, 8th	1	1
Boston, 9th	2	3
New Bedford, 10th	1	1
Narragansett Bay, 10th	2	2
Long Island Sound, 11th	31	40
Eastern New York, 5th	1	1
Southern New York, 5th	1	2
Sandy Hook, 7th	2	3
Delaware, 7th	1	2
Chesapeake Bay, 12th	30	32
Charleston, 13th	1	1
Savannah, 13th	1	1
Key West, 13th	1	1
Tampa, 13th	1	0
Pensacola, 13th	23	30
Mobile Bay, 13th	1	0
Galveston, 13th	1	2
San Diego, 3d	1	1
Los Angeles, 3d	1	1
San Francisco, 6th	31	40
Columbia, 3d	1	2
Puget Sound, 14th	31	40
18th Sound Ranging Btry.	7	10
C. A. School Detachment	14	18
51st C. A. Tractor-drawn	26	36
52d C. A., Railway, less 2 bns.	24	29
52d C. A., Railway, 3d bn.	24	29
61st C. A., Anti-aircraft	36	37
62d C. A., Anti-aircraft	61	74
63d C. A., Anti-aircraft	36	37
69th C. A., Anti-aircraft	36	37
Panama, 1st C. A.	15	20
Panama, 2d C. A.	31	40
Panama, 4th C. A.	39	50
Panama, 65th C. A., Anti-aircraft	67	69
Hawaii, 15th C. A.	31	40
Hawaii, 16th C. A.	31	40
Hawaii, 41st C. A., Rail-way	25	29
Hawaii, 55th C. A., Tractor-drawn	73	84
Hawaii, 64th C. A., Anti-aircraft	102	123
Hq. Sep. C. A. Brig. Hq. Btry.	2	4
Philippines, 59th CA, TD	65	84
Philippines, 60th CA, AA	70	65
Total	983	1,164

Canadian Band To Visit

THE Secretary of War has directed the commanding generals of the 9th, 6th, and 8th Corps Areas to extend the usual courtesies and facilities to the Pipe Band of the Essex Scottish Regiment of the non-Permanent Active Militia of Canada on the occasion of the visits of this band to their Corps Areas during the period Feb. 28 to March 13.

During this period the band will accompany the Border Cities Chamber of Commerce of Windsor, Ont., on their annual excursion to Los Angeles. The party will stop over at Detroit, El Paso, Phoenix, Tucson, Los Angeles, and San Diego.

Tutherly, US Vols.; Col. L. J. Van Schaik, USA; Maj. Gen. K. W. Walker, Maj. Gen. William Weigel, USA; Capt. C. Wells, USN; Capt. E. R. Wilson, USN; Maj. Gen. W. M. Wright, USA; Col. F. H. Wolven, USA; Col. H. C. Williams, USA.

Urge Repeal

NUMEROUS pacifistic and socialistic societies are urging action on S. 2767, Senator Wheeler's bill to repeal the act of May 19, 1926. This act allows the President to detail, upon application of the governments of Latin-American countries, officers and enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy and Marine Corps to assist the Latin-American governments in military and naval matters.

It is under the authority of this act that the marine and naval officers training the Garde d'Haiti and the Garde Nacional of Nicaragua were detailed at the request of the Haitian and Nicaraguan governments.

The naval medical officers attached to the Nicaraguan Public Health Service and the engineering officers with the Department of Public Works of that government are also detailed under this act at the request of the Nicaraguan government, as are the Naval Missions in Brazil and Peru.

Under this act, there are at present three officers and two enlisted men of the Army now detailed to such duty, one of them, Lt. Col. Richard C. Moore, CE, is assisting the Republic of Peru in certain engineering projects, while the other two officers and the enlisted men are in Cuba, aiding that government in the establishment of a flying school. Two other officers of the Army have been detailed to similar service in Guatemala at the request of the government of Guatemala.

The pamphlets and circular letters broadcast by various societies call upon their members and interested parties to write to members of the Senate Military Affairs Committee urging that hearings be held upon Senator Wheeler's bill. The pamphlets lists arguments against the intervention of American Marines, and the use of American officers of the Army and Navy to protect American investments in the Latin-American countries. They charge that such assignment of officers is a repudiation of the principles of the Kellogg Peace Pact.

The Secretary of War in reporting on the bill, recommending against the repeal of the act of May 19, 1926, states that the act "has simply enabled the War Department, with the approval of the Secretary of State in each case, to detail a few officers to three of our neighboring republics at the request of their governments to render them professional military advice. It tends to broaden the viewpoint and increase the abilities of our professional officers, and that, in a decided and increasing measure it tends to promote a correct understanding among our neighbor republics of our peaceful policies and of the good will the officers of our Army bear towards them."

In his report, Secretary Hurley brings out that before the World War, many European nations detailed officers in a similar capacity to the Latin-American countries, and have done so to a lesser extent since the war.

Acting Secretary Jahncke takes the same stand, pointing out that officers are detailed to such duty only on the request of the government concerned. He states that the Department feels that the repeal of the bill at this time would be ill advised. Because of the international relations promoted by the presence of the naval missions in the Latin-American countries is to the interest of the United States to keep the officers in these countries.

Blimp In Lincoln Tribute

PILOTED by Capt. William J. Flood, AC, the Army Dirigible 14 landed on Feb. 6 on the Lincoln Memorial grounds, in Washington, and a wreath was placed before the gigantic statue of the Emancipator in the memorial.

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Hospitalization for Retired

IN furtherance of the movement launched by the Army, Navy, Marine Corps Association, a special committee composed of Col. Arthur Williams, USA, ret., and Maj. J. E. Bloom, USA, ret., are working vigorously for the enactment of H. R. 8129 and 8130 or 3041, or amendments to establish the right of hospitalization and medical treatment for retired officers and enlisted personnel of the regular Army, Navy and Marine Corps, at hospitals of the Veterans' Bureau and of the National Homes for disabled volunteer soldiers.

Two decisions of the Comptroller General make such officers and men ineligible for such hospitalization and refused at the hospitals.

"This results," the committee points out, "in a hardship upon and a discrimination against retired men of as much as 30 years honorable service as compared to the honorably discharged men, even though such have had only ninety days service; especially when, as illustrated by those residing in Los Angeles County, the retired Regular cannot be treated at nearby 'Sawtelle,' but must go to the Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., or to the Naval Hospital, at San Diego, Calif., at great expense and far distant from his home; and where his family cannot afford the expense of frequent visits.

"All said Hospitals, whether of the Veterans Bureau or of Soldiers Homes or of the Regular Army or Navy are maintained by One Common Purse of the U. S.; and, by law, the Veterans Bureau is duly authorized and does send its beneficiaries for treatment to sundry hospitals of the Army, such as Letterman Hospital at San Francisco, and of the Navy, such as the Naval Hospital at San Diego, Calif.; and to sundry hospitals of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, such as Sawtelle, Calif.; therefore, it would appear to be equitable and reciprocal to utilize all hospitals now available for beneficiaries of the Veterans Bureau, not only for the honorably discharged veteran or volunteer, but also for the retired men.

"To remedy such inequality and discrimination, believed to be an accidental omission in the laws—it is essential to amend existing laws, especially to meet the decisions of the Comptroller General."

"The report of the Interdepartmental Pay Board," the committee says, "to consider modifications of existing pay laws affecting the Army, Navy and Marine Corps necessary for the efficiency of those services, submitted its report on July 19, 1929, in which it states: Section VIII: Recommendations for legislation, paragraph 107: Although not specifically a matter of pay legislation, the Board has been impressed by the fact that . . . retired enlisted men, and in fact, retired officers of the several services, receive far less benefits than do the veterans of the World and other wars, especially in the matter of pensions or compensations, admission to Veterans Bureau Hospitals; subsistence while under treatment in Government Hospitals. . . . Furthermore, Veterans (honorably discharged of the Spanish War and the World War) may enter any Veterans Bureau Hospital and may receive transportation thereto and may be subsisted therein without any charge. Retired men of the Regular service may enter only the hospitals of their own services, must proceed thereto at their own expense and must pay for their subsistence therein. These men have served many years and they deserve equal consideration and equal privileges with Veterans of relatively brief wars, whose services may be but for a year or less. The Board believes that these discriminations against men of long service. . . that appropriate corrective legislation may be recommended."

Almy To Bellevue

COMDR. EDMUND D. ALMY, USN, has been ordered to duty as Assistant Director of the Naval Research Laboratory, Bellevue, D. C., to succeed the late Commander Miles A. Libbey, who died Jan. 8, 1930.

Comdr. Almy at present is aide and force engineer on the staff of Commander Fleet Base Force, Rear Adm. T. P. Magruder, on the USS Procyon.

He was born Jan. 17, 1885, in New York, and appointed midshipman in 1903. He is line officer designated for engineer duty only. Comdr. Almy was awarded the Navy Cross and the Distinguished Service Medal from the Army.

Calls Army a School

Chicago (Special).—In an address on Feb. 8 before the Teachers' Association Gen. Charles P. Summerall, Chief of Staff, declared that "it will take only an instant's reflection to bring home the realization that the military service is a great educational institution. Our task, which is the maintenance of national security, is accomplished in time of peace by ceaseless training of self and of others. The soldier, be he commissioned officer or enlisted man, is primarily a teacher. To justify his calling he must constantly either learn or impart. In the Army we have adopted two important educational concepts. The first of these is that the acquisition of knowledge in almost any sphere of endeavor, technical or cultural, redounds eventually to the benefit of the military service. The second is the recognition of the fact that he who has ceased to learn is of limited value to a living organism such as the Army."

Naval Reserve Inspection

THE Naval Reserve Inspection Board of which Capt. C. A. Blakely, USN, is president, will conduct an inspection of Naval Reserve units in the following cities on the following dates:

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 17, 1930.

Newport News, Va., Feb. 18, 1930.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 19, 1930.

The Board that will make this trip will be composed of Comdr. C. C. Slayton, USN, and Lt. Comdr. W. E. Goodhue, USN, from the Navy Department. Lt. Comdr. J. S. Roberts, USN, attached to Headquarters, Fifth Naval District, will aid in the inspection at these cities.

Lt. R. S. Barrett, DE-F, USNR, is in command of the 5th Fleet Division, Norfolk.

Ens. M. N. Gough, A-F, USNR, is in command of 1st Aviation Division Squadron VN-7RD5, Hampton Roads.

Lt. T. W. White, D-F, USNR, is in command of the 6th Fleet Division, Newport News.

Lt. H. I. Sherritt, DE-F, USNR, is in command of the 4th Fleet Division, Richmond.

Honor Emancipator

SERVICE personnel and societies held various ceremonies in the Capital on Feb. 12 in honor of Abraham Lincoln.

Rear Adm. Billard, commandant of the Coast Guard, was chief speaker at the Lincoln Memorial, where the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States staged memorial exercises.

At a dinner of the Military Order of the World War, Rear Adm. J. T. Cowie, USN, ret., and Representative John D. McSwain, of South Carolina, were the speakers.

Ft. Barrancas Notes

Ft. Barrancas, Fla. (Special).—The percentage of qualification in small arms at Ft. Barrancas was higher this year than ever before. The regiment attained a percentage of 99.2 per cent with the rifle firing course D and 93.3 per cent with the pistol. Only one man failed to qualify with rifle and only three failed to qualify with pistol. The organization percentages are as follows: Headquarters Battery, 13th Coast Artillery, commanded by Capt. C. A. Valverde (Inf.), 95 per cent with rifle and 100 per cent with pistol; 13th Coast Artillery Band, commanded by Capt. Fenton G. Epling, 100 per cent with pistol; Battery A, 13th Coast Artillery, commanded by Capt. J. J. Maher, 100 per cent with rifle and 66.7 per cent with pistol; Battery B, 13th Coast Artillery, commanded by Capt. J. D. Brown, 100 per cent with rifle and 80 per cent with pistol.

The Staff at Harbor Defenses of Pensacola is faced with the problem of housing, equipping, feeding, etc., of the increase in personnel that is due to arrive on or before March 1. It is contemplated housing all men on the Barrancas side of the bay, utilizing the old brick barracks and mess hall for the Headquarters Company.

Capt. Harry W. Lins, who arrived from Ft. Preble, Me., Jan. 30, has been given the command of Headquarters Battery. Capt. Lins had the misfortune to wreck his car near Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 28. Mrs. Lins suffered a fractured wrist and a broken nose and the captain and two children suffered severe cuts on the face. All are doing nicely.

Study Naval Parley

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retary Stimson and the British delegation indicates that the futility of the fight on the undersea craft was recognized in advance.

Settlement of the cruiser differences between the U. S. and Great Britain can hardly be accepted as final. By the "compromise" the United States concedes 10,000 ton cruisers that are admittedly necessary for the fleet operations in the Navy will be called upon to perform in war times. This plan meets with practically no opposition in naval circles here provided the additional light cruisers needed for the "parity" bargain are built.

The same objection applies to the proposal that we build a modern battleship to carry out the terms of the plan to attain immediate parity with Great Britain in capital ships. The flat refusal of the British to even consider scrapping the modern battleship is another development that was definitely anticipated. As a matter of fact it is economically unsound and like the action of the Washington Conference is a highly expensive method of securing economy. This has been demonstrated by the increasing costs of maintaining our old battleships and the money this country has been compelled to spend in modernizing them.

From the naval viewpoint here, the proposals now under consideration are not objectionable, but steps must be taken to guarantee whatever new con-

Add to Isthmian Detail

THE Secretary of War has accepted an arrangement with the Government of Nicaragua whereby the battalion of the Engineers now engaged in the canal route survey will also survey a rail route from Lake Nicaragua to the Atlantic Coast, via the San Juan River Valley.

In return the Government of Nicaragua will, while the Engineers are engaged in their present work, furnish free transportation of men and supplies of the battalion on the railroad and lake steamers belong to the Pacific Railroad of Nicaragua.

Sgt. Anderson Retired

Ft. Wadsworth (Special).—Mstr. Sgt. Ole Anderson, Hq. Co., 16th Inf., was placed on the retired list on Jan. 27, after more than 27 years' service, all his eight discharges bearing character "Excellent." He served in the Philippines, Alaska, Mexico and France. His retirement order from Brig. Gen. Rosenbaum commends his conduct as exemplary.

struction is provided for under the agreement, if one is reached, shall be built.

Ratification by the Senate of such a pact should be preceded by authorization and actual appropriation of funds by Congress for building the ships the new treaty specifies. Otherwise this country will find itself with a paper parity, but in an insecure position and dependent on a future Congress to provide funds for the new ships, after the public interest has died down.

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